THE WEATHER

Probably rain or snow tonight and Thursday; somewhat colder tonight.
Sun rises 6:17, sets 7:39.
Moon rises 11:31 a. m.
High tide 10:53 a. m., 10:51 p. m.
Temperatures 102 noon; Maximum 40 at 1 a. m.; minimum 33 at 11 a. m., average 36.
Light all vehicles at 7:50 p. m.

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# 283 NEW U. S. CASUALTIES

# AMERICAN ARMY ON BATTLE FRONT

## FREIGHTS CRASH AT POMFRET

**Two Missing New Haven Trainmen Believed to Have Been Burned in Wreckage**

By International News Service.

Putam, Ct., April 10.—Two trainmen instantly killed, two others missing and believed to have been cremated in the wreckage, three other trainmen more or less seriously injured and two locomotives and a score of freight cars reduced to a mass of debris early today, is the toll in one of the worst wrecks in the history of the New Haven Railroad.

Boston express freight No. AB 4, drawn by two locomotives and leaving Willimantic about an hour after the departure of extra freight No. 2,200, bound for Worcester, crashed into the rear end of the latter train, which was struggling up grade one mile east of Pomfret.

THE DEAD.

The dead:

F. E. Johnson, Boston, head brakeman of the express freight; head crushed in.

John O'Flaherty, New Haven, flagman extra 2200; scalded to death.

TWO MEN MISSING.

Missing and believed to have been burned in the wreckage:

G. P. Rockwood, New Haven, conductor of the extra.

M. S. Sauve, East Hartford, fireman of the express freight.

THE INJURED.

Injured in Putnam Hospital:

Herbert M. Cook, East Hartford, Ct., head engineer of the express freight; sprained leg, cuts on head and suffering from exposure.

David Cassidy, East Hartford, second engineer express freight, cuts on head and other injuries.

Joseph Falter, address unknown, head brakeman extra freight, internal injuries.

The express plowed into the extra with such force that both locomotives were tossed in the air and came down facing each other amid the wreckage of the cabooses and several cars of the extra freight.

The wreckage took fire and a large part of it was consumed. Flesh found in the wreckage indicated that Conductor Rockwood and Fireman Sauve were killed and their bodies burned.

Head Brakeman Johnson was on one of the locomotives of the express and Flagman O'Flaherty was with the crew of the extra freight in the caboose, which was reduced to kindling wood. Brakeman Falter was also in the wrecked caboose.

The tracks were torn up for several hundred yards. Trains between Willimantic and Putnam were detoured by way of Plainfield Junction.

**WE NEED STRONG MEN.** Build up with Peter Zahn's Medicine, a real body-building tonic food.—Advt.

## Relatives Urged to Aid Soldiers at Camp Devens

Every person who has a relative at Camp Devens, and there are many thousands of them, is urged to make a contribution to the Boston AMERICAN Camp Devens Baseball Fund which will provide a baseball and athletic field at cantonments.

Send checks, money orders or other contributions to Lieutenant Robert C. Deming, treasurer, Camp Devens, Ayer, who is treasurer of the fund.

## BASEBALL FUND DRIVE NEARS CLIMAX

Imagine three men on bases, every nerve tense, the grandstand crowd tearing the roof off the structure, the bleachers a howling mob and the best batsman in the home team just about to walk to the plate for a winning wallop.

That is precisely where the Boston AMERICAN'S Camp Devens Baseball Fund is today and the New England public is in the position of the batter who is going to wallop the pill over the fence and land the game.

This fund is to provide a suitable grandstand and field for athletic sports at Camp Devens where 35,000 red-blooded young Americans are training.

It is true that they have baseball fields there now, but they have no stands, no shower baths for the

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## 'MISLED ON LIBERTY MOTOR'

**Senate Committee Says New Air Engine Is Suitable Only for Heavy Planes**

By International News Service.

Washington, April 10.—Bluntly charging the administration with having misled the public, the Senate Military Affairs Committee gave the nation its findings in the investigation of America's aviation program.

In an exhaustive report to the Senate the committee made public this version of the truth, based upon ten days of secret investigation:

The twelve-cylinder Liberty motor cannot be used in the swift single-seater fighting machine. Its use, as now manufactured, is limited to heavy planes.

The production of Liberty motors has been gravely disappointing. Four have been shipped overseas.

The production of combat planes in the United States for use in actual warfare has been a substantial failure.

The matter of production

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## Chemists Suspected of Tampering With Army Medicine

By International News Service.

Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., April 10.—Army officers and Department of Justice agents today are reported to be making investigations at several army cantonments to determine whether German chemists employed to manufacture salvarsan, a blood medicine, are adding subtle drugs in the preparation which were responsible for the deaths of soldiers in cantonment hospitals.

Four Camp Custer soldiers have died recently, following administration of this remedy. It is said here that its use has been ordered stopped temporarily in all army cantonments by Surgeon-General Gorgas.

## BASEBALL EXTRA STARTS NEXT MONDAY

Who likes to wait until the next morning to get the sporting news of the day before?

As Bert Williams says: "Nobody!"

Therefore—

The Boston AMERICAN is coming to the rescue with the greatest BASEBALL EXTRA Boston and New England sport followers ever saw. This BASEBALL EXTRA will start next Monday, when the big league baseball season opens and when general sports get under way.

It will be the ONLY newspaper in this territory covering sporting events on the day they happen. It is designed especially for the benefit of sport followers who are entitled to quick returns on results of baseball, golf, tennis, yachting, racing and so on.

There is no question about QUALITY OF SERVICE. Among the reporters and feature writers and their subjects will be:

**Hugh S. Fullerton and "Nick" Flatley on baseball.**

**Corbett on boxing. Collyer on turf news.**

**James P. Murphy on boxing and cycling.**

**Jack Veiock and H. W. Lanigan on general sports, with J. R. Gilhooly, Sporting Editor of the AMERICAN, marshalling their reports in best array.**

The BASEBALL EXTRA will cost two cents. The regular editions of the AMERICAN will remain at one cent as usual.

## 283 MORE CASUALTY NAMES

**Five Americans Killed in Battle, Three Die of Wounds, 245 Slightly Injured**

Washington, April 10.—A casualty list containing 283 names was announced by the War Department this afternoon. Of these, 245, including one captain and nine lieutenants, were wounded slightly.

Only five men are reported as having been killed in action and three died of wounds. Eleven died of disease and seven were victims of accidents. Ten were wounded severely and two were reported missing in action.

KILLED IN ACTION.

Corporal Jules V. Fiak, Privates Carey B. Evans, Fred W. Heinman, Salvatore Marcen, Ralph B. Watts.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Corporal John F. Walsh, Cook Harry Hendrick, Private George E. Ohlrandes.

DIED OF DISEASE.

Corporal Lyman R. Bussey, scarlet fever; Privates Thomas H. Bolton, anthrax; William Edwards, pneumonia; David Fulman, pneumonia; John L. Hall, pneumonia; Ervin Jackson, mastoiditis; Frank F. Kohl, ——; Lee Landry, pneumonia; Charles L. Roehl, pneumonia; Clerk Edmond Krull, tuberculosis.

DIED OF ACCIDENT.

Cook James Fee, Private George Adolph Horn, Cook Clarence Mineo, Privates Frank De Flayla, Nathan

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## STOCK QUOTATIONS SHOW IRREGULARITY

New York, April 10.—There were irregular movements in the stock market all through the early forenoon, with a few issues showing pronounced strength.

Inspiration Copper advanced a point to 49, a new high record for this movement. Kelly-Springfield Tire sold up 3 points to 45. Marine preferred was another strong feature, moving up 1¾ to 92¾ on the expectation that an extra dividend may be declared tomorrow.

Atlantic Gulf & West Indies rose 2 points to 112 but quickly reacted to 110¼. St. Paul preferred was weak, selling ¾ lower at 48¾. Steel common was quiet, with trading at 99¼ to 99⅝ against 99⅝ at the close yesterday.

## SOLD CIGARETTES TO BOY STOREKEEPER FINED $25

Found guilty of the sale of cigarettes to a seven-year-old boy, John Beumond, who conducts a small store on Shawmut avenue was fined $25 by Judge Bennett today. The boy's mother testified that her son had been ill on three different occasions last week and upon being questioned, admitted he had been smoking cigarettes.

## "Insane Blunder," Says T. P. O'Connor of the Irish Draft

By International News Service.

San Francisco, April 10.—Cabling to John Dillon, Irish leader in Parliament, T. P. O'Connor, the Irish statesman, who is here, today made plain his opposition to the proposed conscription in Ireland and voiced a solemn warning. His message follows:

"Must record solemn warning against conscription in Ireland. Will paralyse friends and encourage bitter enemies in this country. This insane blunder would again render futile efforts Irish leaders everywhere."

## ENGLAND FACES NEW IRISH CRISIS

By International News Service.

London, April 10.—Unstinted praise of the brilliant speech of Premier Lloyd George, in which he demanded an extension of conscription to Ireland, was given by the London press today. Most of the papers united in praising the courage of the Premier in making such a demand at this time.

The Chronicle, however, doubts the wisdom of Irish conscription at this time.

The proposal has provoked immediate and stormy opposition from the Irish Nationalists of the House of Commons," said the Chronicle. "But this was inevitable. We can see no prospect of its being abated, and its result can hardly fail to be prejudicial both to the Irish question and the man-power question."

The Irish question was the chief topic of the day and superseded the big battle even in the discussions in public for the time being.

Now that there has come time for a careful analysis of the Premier's speech, thoughtful persons perceive the necessity for conscription. In the words of Mr. Lloyd George himself, the allied nations "have entered the most critical phase of the war." The Germans are hurling their greatest strength against the allied battle line in the west, and the Prime Minister has made it evident that the allied

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## UNFILLED U. S. STEEL ORDERS SHOW A DROP

New York, April 10.—In its monthly statement issued today the U. S. Steel Corporation reports unfilled orders on its books as of March 31 last of 8,846,406 tons. This compares with 9,288,453 tons on February 28 last, a decrease of 282,047 tons.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.

Boston bank clearings, $40,487,320.

Boston sub-treasury, credit, $436,326.

New York bank clearings, $567,235,245.

New York sub-treasury, debit, $3,785,061.

## 57 New England Towns Win Honor Flags in Third Loan

Thirteen more cities and towns in New England surged across the line today in the drive for oversubscription of quotas in the Third Loan.

This makes 57 in New England that have made a similar report to the Liberty Loan Committee and declared themselves to be entitled to the Honor Flags.

The greatest enthusiasm is being manifested in the race, and it is expected that the New England spirit will push a lot more towns and cities over the top.

Honor Flags were awarded today to New Durham, N. H., Peterboro, N. H., and North Andover, Mass., making twelve which have received flags. The others are Southboro, Weston and West Tisbury, in Massachusetts; Hadam, Ct.; Burlington, Canaan and Winooski in Vermont; Stratford and Stewartstown, N. H.

SOUTHBORO EARLY ON LIST.

Among them all stand out Southboro, Weston, and West Tisbury, which the flag committee have officially certified to the Treasury Department as being the towns in this

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## SENATOR STONE STRICKEN IN STREET CAR

Washington, April 10.—Senator William J. Stone of Missouri, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, suffered what was believed to be a stroke of paralysis while riding in a street car to the Capitol today.

Senator Stone was stricken just as the car reached the Senate office building. He was carried from the car to the office of Senator Cummins of Iowa. Later he was removed to his home.

Physicians, hastily summoned, were unable to state how serious the Senator's condition was. He is seventy years old.

## "HELL FOR THE KAISER" WINS VERMONT DRIVE

St. Albans, Vt., April 10.—"Well help to put the Kaiser in hell where he belongs," was the slogan that put Georgia, Vt., a little town near this city, over the top in the Liberty Loan campaign. Its allotment of $10,400 was oversubscribed in 25 minutes at a meeting attended by only 40 persons.

## "PLANT WAR GARDENS, AND INVEST IN BONDS"

"Plant war gardens and invest your money in Liberty Bonds" is a slogan that is fast becoming popular in Greater Boston, due to the efforts of the National War Garden Commission, whose headquarters are in Washington. The commission will send out Miss Edith Guerrier to tour Massachusetts on a food-saving trip.

## GERMANS DRIVEN FROM GIVENCHY

**London, April 10.—American troops have reached the British front in France, according to information from France this afternoon. The first contingent consisted of infantrymen, aviators and engineers, it was said.**

By International News Service.

**London, April 10.—Givenchy, where the Germans penetrated the British line during the savage fighting which developed north of La Bassee canal on Tuesday morning, has been recaptured by the British, the War Office announced today.**

**Heavy fighting continued on the front north of the canal all day and far into the night. The British captured 750 prisoners.**

The Germans have extended the zone of their artillery activity, bombarding British positions as far north as Ypres and the Comines canal.

There was local fighting south of the Somme River on the Picardy front, but it left the situation unchanged.

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## LANDING OF MARINES ANNOUNCED BY TOKIO

Tokio, April 10.—Japanese marines were landed at Vladivostok on April 5, it has been officially announced. The landing of the Japanese forces followed the killing of three Japanese subjects by bandits. The statement said that the allied commanders had agreed to the landing of the marines.

## PRO-GERMAN OFFICIALS HIT BY SEDITION BILL

Washington, April 10.—Without a roll-call, the Senate this afternoon adopted an amendment to the sedition bill offered by Senator Jones of New Mexico, providing for the immediate dismissal of any official or employe of the executive departments of the government who criticises the government, the army or the navy. The amendment, the only one of the kind, provision is not retroactive.

GERMANS SEIZE ARGENTINE SHIP
London, April 10.—Dispatches
German forces, aided by troops
have taken the city of Kharkov, and are now south of Voronezh
FLAMES THREATEN LANCASTER, PA.
Lancaster, Pa., April 10.—Flames threatened the business section of the city this afternoon. Fire, starting in the big Sorecher & Danna hardware store, spread quickly to the Garvan department store and the McCurdy ten-cent store. The whole business section was threatened.

# BRITISH AND PORTUGUESE YIELD BEFORE TERRIFIC HUN ATTACK

## GERMANS MAKE SLIGHT GAIN BETWEEN LENS AND ARMENTIERES

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"North of La Bassee canal violent fighting continued last night," the official statement said.

"British troops holding the line of the Lys and Lawe Rivers are heavily engaged at Estaires and Bac-Sur-Maur on the southern flank.

"Givenchy, where the enemy penetrated the British line at one time, was recaptured by means of a successful counter-attack. The recapture was made by the Fifty-fifth Division, which captured 750 prisoners.

"The enemy this morning opened a heavy bombardment east and north of Armentieres as far as Ypres and the Comines canal. Fighting is reported to have commenced on this part of the front.

"Local fighting south of the Somme River left the British positions unchanged."

South of Arras the comparative lull in the infantry fighting continued. But the few were local operations in which the British captured some prisoners.

The German version of the fighting on Tuesday, as given out by the Berlin War Office, follows:

"North of La Bassee the Germans penetrated both British and Portuguese positions. On both sides of the Somme there have been violent artillery duels. On the southern bank of the Oise River the Germans threw back the French across the Oise-Aisne canal between Cuny-Le-Chateau and Berancourt."

Berancourt, which the Germans claim to have captured from the French, lies only fourteen miles northwest of Soissons, at the angle of the Western front. Cuny-Le-Chateau is ten miles east of Berancourt.

**BRAVERY OF THE PORTUGUESE.**

This is the first big battle in which the Portuguese have taken part on the Western front. Previous operations against them had consisted only of raids and local attacks.

Eye witnesses of Tuesday's fray said that the Portuguese soldiers fought gallantly and well in great stubbornness against overwhelming odds. The finest troops of the German army were sent against them.

Laventie, which the Germans captured, is six miles north of La Bassee and between ten and eleven miles west of Lille. Richebourg-St. Vaast is two miles northeast of Bethune and lies just southwest of Laventie.

The Neuve Chapelle sector, where the Germans gained ground, is a historic spot in this war. The British captured it from the Germans to their big offensive.

German assaults were preceded by a terrific bombardment with gas shells. Concentrated masses of artillery threw projectiles against the allied positions for upwards of twenty-four hours before the infantry attacks were delivered.

A resumption of the infantry drive against the French is expected momentarily, as the communication issued by the French War Office on Tuesday night told of the continuation of the bombardment of the French positions all the way from Hangard to a point east of Noyon.

### Harold Van Norden Was Contracted House Leader at Peabody

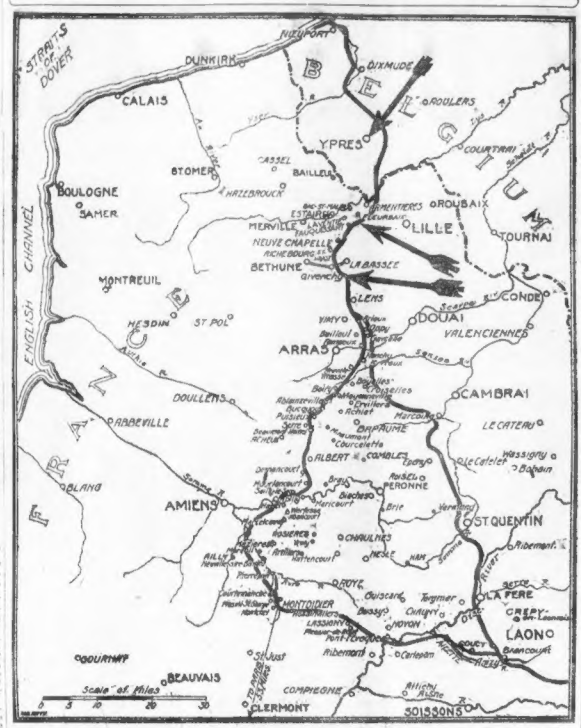
Harold H. Van Norden, whose name appears in the latest war casualty lists, was in charge of the Community House at Peabody and its first superintendent up to the time of his enlistment. His death was due to spinal meningitis.

Van Norden trained at Camp Merritt, N. J. He was quartermaster-sergeant of the supply department of the 15th Ambulance Corps, which sailed for France in January of this year. Because of an attack of measles he was left behind. Later he contracted pneumonia.

He went to France after his recovery and in a letter written to friends about a month ago stated that he had not yet caught up with his company. Then came the casualty list announcing his death.

Van Norden was graduated from the Springfield Y. M. C. A., where he prepared for community and playground work. He was in charge of playgrounds at Manchester, N. H., for two seasons. His home was in Woburn where his father resides.

## TEUTON THRUST TO NORTH OF OLD SOMME BATTLEFIELD, 50 MILES FROM AMIENS




*The arrow below points to Givenchy, into which the Germans forced an entrance yesterday only to be hurled out by the British. To the north are La Bassee, Neuve Chapelle and villages near the La Basse canal, for the possession of which the Huns are fighting desperately. Ypres is shown still closer to the channel coast, the Ypres-Comines canal being the farthest north point of the present secondary offensive.*

## 283 AMERICAN CASUALTIES IN NEW LIST

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Krantman, Henry F. Michell, James J. Quinn, Jr.

**WOUNDED SEVERELY.**

Lieutenants Daniel R. Lawler, William D. Moyles, John Walter Morris, James J. Wall, Jr., Sergeants Seth A. Hensley, William J. Sausville, Privates Dorsey S. Dayton, Harry L. Erisman, Paul V. Plummer, James Shields.

**WOUNDED SLIGHTLY.**

Captain John P. Hurley, Lieutenants Coleman D. Burns, William D. Crane, William T. Senker, Thomas J. Jackson, Morris R. Levi, Arthur H. Martin, Thomas C. P. Martin, William Michel, Bernard J. Shanley.

Sergeants Leo G. Bonnard, Peter Cooney, Claud S. Decosta, Victor L. Ehrhorn, Howard D. Emerson, Thomas M. Gleason, Augustus F. Hughes, Herbert F. McKenna, Francis L. Meade, Roy G. Ransom, John L. Ross, Corporals Michael Hanna, Harold A. Honham, Gerard A. Buckley, John J. Butler, Daniel F. Carroll, John J. Casey, Patrick Caulfield, James J. Dalton, James D. Dunn, Joseph M. Farrell, John Gaughan, John J. Gibbons, John Naughton, Philip H. Heilriegel, Robert W. Holmes, Raymond E. Jackson, Herbert J. Kelly, Michael Lailly, Mortimer A. Lynch, James E. McGovern, Richard McNeil, John B. Manson, George Mayer, James Murphy, William Oliver, Frank M. Pumphrey, Max Putlitz, Thomas J. Rothwell, Patrick Ryan, George C. Sickler, James J. Sullivan, John T. Vogel, Wagoner William H. McAllister.

Mechanics, Thomas J. Hogan, Jeremiah F. O'Connor, Edward J. Schick; buglers, William J. Nye, James M. Rice; cooks, Patrick Boland, Michael J. Hovance, Michael O'Brien; privates, Patsis Alfano, William H. Anderson, Henry Bakeman, John A. Barry, Joseph Bauer, Joseph E. Becker, James P. Begley, Albert Bengston, Arthur Bennett, William J. Berger, Joseph Berger, Howard J. Bosmer, Edward J. Bradbury, John Brawley, Harold A. Broe, Daniel Brosnan, William Brown, Tildo Bruno, Daniel Buckley, Piotl Bukowski.

James J. Cailleau, Claus Carlsen, Matthew J. Carlyle, Herbert H. Case, William Childs, Mortimer A. Clarke, Bernard Clinton, Joseph F. Conlon, John P. Connery, William Conville, Patrick G. Cooke, Michael M. Corbett, Frederick Cotton, George P. Crouch, Ralph Cuccioli, James Cunningham, Patrick C. Cunningham, James W. Daly, Albert Daur, Stephen De Leonardis, William A. Devine.

William A. Devlin, Thomas Dillon, Timothy A. Dolan, Daniel A. Dooley, Amos H. Dow, Joseph P. Dunn, Paul M. Dusapin, Leon Eckman, Louis T. Faiandes, Patrick J. Fawcett, Thomas A. Feeley, John J. Fennell, Burt Finkle, John J. Fitzpatrick, William F. Fitzpatrick, Charles M. Fletcher, Charles J. Flood, Daniel Flynn, John J. Flynn, Bernard Fury, Martin Gallagher, Julius Gartiano, John J. Gelshen, Julius Germann, Louis P. Gigliotto, John J. Gilroy, Joseph B. Glenn, John Glynn, Michael Goodman, Raymond F. Gorman, Harry Graham, Nicholas Grant, Frank Guida.

Edward Hannigan, James Harnwell, Edward J. Hassig, Henry D. Hawkhurst, Harold F. Hazel, George Healy, Stephen T. Hickey, Thomas Hickey, Edward Hoey, Martin J. Hogan, Stephen Jona, Jr., Luker Kats, Francis I. Kelly, Howard J. Kelly, James F. Kelly, William Kemper.

### SEDITION IN NEBRASKA MEANS 20 YEARS IN JAIL

Lincoln, Neb., April 10.—Any person found guilty of disloyal acts or utterances with intent to hinder prosecution of the war is liable to a maximum punishment of twenty years in the penitentiary under the terms of Nebraska's sedition law, recently enacted by the Legislature and made effective by the signature of Governor Neville.

## PRIORITIES LIST TO FACILITATE SHIPMENTS

By International News Service.

Washington, April 10.—A priorities list, to be absolutely binding and aimed to facilitate the delivery of materials essential to war industries, was issued today by the War Industries Board.

The order, the first to be issued by the reorganized board, will affect the Railway and Food administrations, and when necessary other administrations will be brought in to make it absolutely binding.

The Priorities Board adopted Preference List No. 1 for the guidance of all governmental agencies in the supply and distribution by rail or water of coal or coke. This same plan will be followed in according preferential treatment of war industries and plants in the transportation of raw materials and supplies required by them in their manufacturing operations, so they may not be delayed or hampered in complying with priority orders issued against them.

Preference List No. 1 is not complete in itself, it was said today. Provision is being made for certifying additional classes of industries and also individual plants, the operation of which are necessary as a war measure. In determining what industries or plants are entitled to be certified, two factors will control; first, the relative urgency of the uses of the product and, second, the per cent. of the product of the plant utilized directly or indirectly in work of exceptional or national importance.

## NAVY ENLISTED MEN CALLED FROM HOMES

All enlisted apprentice seamen and firemen, third class, now at home will be called to service after April 19. This was announced today at the navy recruiting station, No. 146 Tremont street.

Ten left today for Newport. The following have enlisted in the navy and enrolled for the naval reserves:

Enlistments—Herbert Pierce Besse, No. 4 East Springfield street, Boston.

Enrollments—Murray Tupper Edgar, jr., No. 33 Brook street, Brookline; Thomas Collin, jr., No. 13 Washington street, Ansonia; Agnew Ford Woods, Main street, Groton; George William Ivorea, No. 28 Adelaide street, Beaulah Plain; Paul Joseph Falsey, No. 10 Exeter street, Lawrence; Jeremiah Michael Daly, No. 65 Gage street, Lowell; Paul Dube, No. 102 Chester street, Lawrence; John Joseph O'Connor, No. 94 Fountain street, Holyoke; Francis Leavitt Orr, No. 67 Cedar street, Worcester; William Joseph Daly, No. 25 Clinton avenue, Holyoke; James Francis Doe, No. 37 Crescent street, Holyoke; Edward Raymond Drake, No. 323 High street, Holyoke; Guy Sterling Williams, No. 3 Fairfield street, Worcester; Robert Leo Kane, No. 24 Mercereau street, Dorchester; Charles Frederick Caffin, No. 27 Stark street, Worcester; Thomas Leo Kane, No. 24 Mercereau street, Manchester, N. H.; Joseph Stephen St. Denais, No. 387 Spruce street, Manchester, N. H.; Albert John Fletcher, No. 781 Valley street, Manchester; No. 18 Abbotsville street, West Concord, N. H.; Wilson Davidson, Smith, No. 4 Atlantic avenue, Provincetown; John Joseph Dunn Kane, No. 1 Meridian street, Greenfield; Collis Henry Hare Kimball, East Dorchester; Raymond Reeves Walker, No. 27 Bowdoin street, Boston; Michael Francis O'Neill, No. 42 Meadow street, Charlestown; Raymond August Linskeen, Vinalhaven, Maine; Francis Xavier Henry, No. 39 Franklin street, Concord, N. H.; Raymond Kenneth Frye, No. 12 Oakley street, Dorchester; William Francis Tierney, No. 49 Wellington street, Worcester; Joseph Timothy Carney, No. 672 Columbus avenue, Roxbury; Arthur Welwood, No. 10 Bainbridge road, Allston.

At the army recruiting station, No. 3 Tremont row, today the following recruits were assigned to units:

Medical department—James A. Walthuer, No. 18 Hawthorne street, Roxbury; Leonard B. Peaver, No. 4 Broadway, Medford; Edmond C. Dee, 80 Harvard avenue, Allston; Arthur T. Palmer, 319 Union street, Lynn.

Engineers—James A. McNeilly, 53 Flanders street, Boston; Stephen McGarthy, 99 Prentice street, Lowell; Leroy G. Smith, 84 Dwight street, Boston; Andrew J. Doreal, 66 Hanson street, Lowell; Manuel J. Rezendes, 11 Bowdoin street, Boston; Joseph E. Amoit, 66 Concord street, Roxbury.

Coast Artillery Corps, R. A.—Richard Shaw, 40 Jenkins Pond, Medford; Gordon J. McNeill, 2506 Washington street, Forest Hills.

Quartermaster Corps—Edward J. Devoll, Bangor, Me.

The enlistments at the marine corps recruiting station, No. 22 Tremont row, were:

Daniel J. Coffey, No. 114 George street, Medford; Abraham Nelson, 28 Wilson street, Dorchester.

### 2,000 MILL HANDS IDLE BECAUSE OF ACCIDENT

Hopedale, April 10.—More than 2,500 employes in the Draper mills here are out of work as a result of a shaft breaking on one of the engines in the main plant.


LINK NO. 1 LINK NO. 2 LINK NO. 3 Sold To Filene's LINK NO. 4 LINK NO. 5 Sold To Filene's

LINK NO. 20 LINK NO. 19 LINK NO. 18 LINK NO. 17 LINK NO. 16 LINK NO. 6 LINK NO. 7 LINK NO. 8 LINK NO. 9 LINK NO. 10

Extra Selling Space

Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

Extra Salespeople

**Bought! Two links of a chain of 20 men's stores:**

¶ This long chain of twenty men's clothing stores went into bankruptcy recently and were sold in bulk. It was decided to close two of these and we purchased both stocks—bought them for so little that we are placing them on sale tomorrow morning at much less than their original cost. ¶

**Men's suits, $10 and $12.50**

*regardless of former prices*

¶ Hundreds of good, dependable suits for men and young men. You'll find worsteds, cassimeres, a small lot of blue serges, mixtures and cheviots at both prices, but, as assortments are broken, in some cases there are only a few of a kind. Sizes, too, are broken but run from 32 to 42. ¶

**Ready Thursday at 8:30**

AUTOMATIC PLAN:—Everything here must sell quickly at its first price or be reduced 25% after 12 selling days, 50% after 18 selling days, 75% after 24 selling days. Goods given away after 30 selling days

LINK NO. 15 LINK NO. 14 LINK NO. 13 LINK NO. 12 LINK NO. 11

Hundreds of other bargain lots

**The cleaner it is the quicker it heals**

"Don't cry, we'll fix you up all right. We'll wash it clean with this. It will heal itself then in a hurry."

The moment the skin is broken, or even when it's chafed—foreign matter and the acids of your perspiration get into it and make it smart and sting.

When you wash your skin with Lifebuoy Health Soap, it carries into the pores the antiseptic that is known to be of the most help in protecting the skin. This counteracts the effect of perspiration acids that collect in the pores, keeps your skin free from impurities—sweet and wholesome—*gives it a chance to heal.*

Don't think your skin needs this *real* cleansing only when it is broken, chafed and sore.

What happens when your skin is improperly cleansed

Modern health authorities are teaching the value of *prevention.* They advise people to *prevent* illness—to take care of their health every day. The skin, especially, needs *daily protection.*

The skin on your body contains thousands of little mouths. On the palm of your hand alone, there are 2700 of them to every inch! Through these little mouths, the skin filters out the perspiration, excess oils and waste matter of the system—at the rate of *two pints every twenty-four hours!* If not properly cleansed, these acids and impurities irritate the skin—they impair its smooth, soft texture—skin troubles set in.

The Lifebuoy odor tells you why the soap protects your skin

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**The Health Soap**

# MORE NEW ENGLAND TOWNS "OVER THE TOP" IN LIBERTY LOAN DRIVE

## 57 WIN HONOR FLAGS

### New Hampshire Leading as State With Most Towns Completing Bond Quotas

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States to have oversubscribed their quotas at the very moment of the opening of the loan, 9 a. m. on Saturday. The Liberty Loan Committee of New England has reported to the National Committee that these three towns are tied in the matter of time in contesting for the place of honor which shall go to the first town in the United States to secure its quota. Among these three Southboro is rated first because of the proportionate showing of individual subscribers to population and amount of subscription.

New Hampshire again contributes the largest number of towns reporting an oversubscription, eight being on today's list: Harrisville, Conway, Plaistow, Epping, Deerfield, Brookfield, Stratham, Hampton Falls.

**NEW HAMPSHIRE LEADS**

This gives New Hampshire twenty-seven in all that have reported oversubscriptions from New England and numerically puts this State far in the lead so far as communities are concerned.

In Connecticut, Killingly reported its quota raised—$96,500. The number of individual subscribers was not reported and the committee is compelled to ask for the report on this point, 2 per cent. of populations being the figure set as reasonable representation.

The delay in acting upon claims for Honor Flags is, in almost every case, due to the failure of towns in reporting oversubscription to give the number of subscribers, thus preventing the committee from estimating the percentage of population to see if the 2 per cent. requirement necessary to secure a flag has been fulfilled.

**ADDITIONAL SUBSCRIPTIONS.**

The Boston Trades Committee reports $119,000 additional from the Boston Real Estate Exchange, from the Coal Trade $54,800 additional, from the Cotton Trade $156,200 additional, Shipping Trade $10,000 additional, New England Telephone $425,000.

The newest reports of subscriptions for the last twenty-four hours from department stores are:

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| **T. D. Whitney Co.** | **$1,400** |
| **Kennedy's** | **200** |
| **Magrane-Houston** | **750** |
| **C. F. Hovey Co.** | **1,100** |
| **Houghton & Dutton** | **1,000** |
| **L. P. Hollander** | **2,350** |
| **Among the subscriptions reported today are:** | |
| **Employes of the New England Telephone Company, through the First National Bank.** | |
| **William Whitman Co.** | **$100,000** |
| **Dennison Mfg. Co.** | **50,000** |
| **Columbian National Life** | **50,000** |
| **The Howard Benevolent Society** | **5,000** |
| **Society for the Relief of the Widows and Orphans of Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church** | **5,000** |
| **Gillette Safety Razor Co.** | **200,000** |
| **Bristow Draper** | **50,000** |
| **Eben S. Draper** | **50,000** |
| **Henry S. Rowe** | **25,000** |
| **United Shoe Machinery Co** | **1,000,000** |

### Civilians and Men In Service Speak at Loan Rally on Common

William T. A. Fitzgerald, register of deeds of Suffolk, made a patriotic appeal for the third Liberty Loan at the rally at Victory Cottage on Boston Common.

Ignatius McNulty of the Boston Central Labor Union and Albert M. Bemarm of Haverhill followed Mr. Fitzgerald.

Sergeant H. E. Pheney of the Canadian army and Louis Schworm of the United States Navy urged everyone to step into the Victory Cottage and buy bonds.

The list of speakers changes daily at these campaigns at the Victory Cottage and future programs will include some of Massachusetts' most prominent men.

### Fullsize Tank Replica in Store Has a Booth for Sale of Liberty Bonds

To boom the sale of the third Liberty Loan, a massive replica of the British [illegible] is [illegible] in front of the Jordan Marsh Co. store.

This tank, built line for line and measurement for measurement with the tanks which today are being used on the western front to smash the Hun, contains a booth at which the bonds are being sold. It is presided over by Miss Gertrude Hortigan of Watertown, an employe of the store, dressed as "Miss Liberty."

All over the store on that floor are signs, each with an index hand pointing toward the tank. These signs are captioned "Pershing Lane," "Liberty Way," "Lusitania Path," "Win-the-War-avenue," "McAdoo Terrace," "Yankee Lane" and the "Road to Democracy."

Assisting Miss Horrigan in the sale of bonds is a corps of society women working in shifts of six each under the direction of Mrs. Walter B. Hunnewell of Beacon street. Other assistants are recruited from among the employes of the store.

The entire plan is under the direction of W. A. Hawkins, a director of the Jordan Marsh Company and captain of the Liberty Loan division of the store. An attractive window display containing war relics, the idea of Joseph Jordan, art designer of the store, is part of the plan to boom the sale of the bonds.

### Gilchrist Employes Subscribe More Than $22,000 to Liberty Loan

The Gilchrist Company to date has subscribed approximately $117,500 to the third Liberty Loan. It was announced following a meeting of the Gilchrist employes held in the store in aiding the present drive. At the meeting the employes subscribed more than $22,000, while the company itself subscribed $50,000.

A subscription of $10,000 was received from Simon Vorenberg while President C. C. Perris, Vice-President Jardine and Vice-President and Secretary Felix Vorenberg each subscribed to $5,000 apiece. Nearly Mr.

Other large subscriptions were as follows: Fred Vorenberg, $2,000; Samuel Vorenberg, $2,000; William Marcus, $2,000; F. Vorenberg Co., $2,000; Miss Edna Lewis, $1,350, and subscriptions of $1,000 each from Mrs. Simon Vorenberg, Neville Wilson, Harvey Schaschke, Mrs. William Jardine, Mrs. Felix Vorenberg and Mrs. Charles Ferris and Superintendent James T. Chase.

### Tank to Play Part in Loan Rally by Commerce Chamber

The grain, flour and allied trades operating at the Boston Chamber of Commerce will hold a Liberty Loan rally in the trade room of the Chamber tomorrow at 11:30 a. m.

The speakers will be Herbert Parker, former attorney-general of Massachusetts; Judge Michael J. Murray of the Municipal Court, and Major Smythe of the British-Canadian Recruiting Mission, who is dean of McGill University of Canada. The tank Britannia will be in front of the building from 11:30 to 11:45 and there will be a short parade through the streets of the business section, which will be led by the Marine Band from the Navy Yard.

A committee of 25 members, headed by George W. Eddy, is in charge and the men expect to raise more money than either of the other loans. On the first loan they raised nearly $1,500,000 and on the second raised $2,000,000.

### MAYOR REJECTS BIDS FOR CEMENT SUPPLY

On the ground that the prices were too high, Mayor Peters, on the recommendation of Thomas J. Dawson, superintendent of supplies, has rejected bids on 3,500 barrels of Portland cement, the lowest bid for price ies about $3.25 a barrel. In 1917 the price was $2.25. At the time the bids were offered the price was around $3.67.

### BURLINGTON, VT., MAN ON MCADOO'S STAFF

Burlington, Vt., April 10.—Sherman P. Allen, a former newspaper man of Burlington, Vt., has been appointed to the personal staff of Secretary William G. McAdoo. Mr. Allen has been assistant secretary of the Federal Reserve Board for some time. He was first in Washington as secretary to the late Congressman Foster

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## The Picardy Point of View

By MORTON BRIGE.

*Did you ever think of the Liberty Loan From the Picardy point of view?*

In Picardy the cannons roar,
The long, long battlefront is red,
The field is littered with the dead,
But here you buy a Bond or more.

In Picardy they never cease,
Those deadly storms of shot and shell.
But here at home, where all is well,
You buy your Bonds and sleep in peace.

There is no question "over there"
About how many Bonds to buy.
From hidden mine to open sky
Your death awaits you everywhere.

How simple, in civilian life,
To buy a Bond, or two or three!
How different the case would be
In Picardy of deadly strife!

*Did you ever think of the Liberty Loan From the Picardy Point of View?*

## GOVERNOR SIGNS BOSTON'S TAX LIMIT BILL

### City May Now Raise $14.02 on Each $1,000 of Valuation, by Taxation

Governor McCall today signed the bill authorizing the city of Boston to increase by $3 a thousand the limit of money it may raise by taxation.

The quill pen with which he signed the bill was given to Mayor Peters. At a hearing in the Governor's private office today, the Governor and Chairman Murphy of the Finance Commission urged favorable consideration of the bill by the Governor.

Mayor Peters insisted on a $3 increase, while Chairman Murphy thought the city might get along on a $1.50 increase.

**DEMANDED ALL OF IT.**

Mayor Peters declared that unless the limit was increased to the full amount asked for, the city would be unable to get its municipal functions.

John J. Martin, President of the Exchange Trust Company opposed anything more than a $2 increase.

George F. Washburn, president of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange, opposed the bill on the ground that it would set Boston back 20 years. He charged that real estate was over-assessed now.

**NOT HIGH TAX RATE.**

Boston's tax limit under the new law will be $14.02. This is not the tax rate, but the limit of the amount of money Boston may raise by taxation.

Taking the average valuation of city property for the five preceding years, the city is limited to revenue by taxation to $14.02 on each $1,000 of the valuation.

Up to 1900 the limit was $9 a thousand and in 1916 it was increased to $11.02 a thousand, but of this amount, under the law of 1916, $4.50 on each thousand was set aside for school purposes, leaving only $6.52 for general municipal purposes.

**MORE FOR SCHOOLS.**

Under the new law a part of the increase will be required to take care of the increase in the salaries of the school teachers, but it is probable that Mayor Peters will get nearly $3,000,000 for general municipal purposes, $1,500,000 of which is to be expended on street work.

### FURLOUGH MEN HOME FOR RAISING OF CROPS

Washington, April 10.—Orders were issued today by Major General Crowder to furlough men home for agricultural purposes, provided such furlough does not interfere with the military training of the persons affected.

### Loan Sidelights

In Hingham, the men have put the entire soliciting for the Third Liberty Loan into the hands of the women. Miss Susan B. Willard, who is the local chairman of the Women's Liberty Loan committee and also a member of the State committee, reported a total of 1,000 women's work up to Tuesday morning of $14,450. This does not include the amounts directly subscribed at the local banks.

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Three days' work for the Liberty Loan by the Women's "Flying Squadron" of Gloucester, Mrs. Robert T. Habson, captain, shows a record haul of $77,350. Mrs. Harrett Wendell, chairman for Massachusetts, has sent a telegram of appreciation to Captain Habson and her gallant crew.

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The Newton Woman's Liberty Loan committee, Mrs. Francis E. Stanley, chairman, has raised the fortune to secure a $25,000 subscription one day today, bringing their total up to $40,000.

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Kingman, Maine, with a quota of $10,000, reports that it had nearly double that amount of money in its grasp.

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In Massachusetts, Chairman Stevens of North Andover reported a sale of $223,750 worth of bonds to 426 subscribers. This is nearly $40,000 over its quota of $186,000. The subscribers are nearly eight per cent. of the population of 5,530 given in the 1910 census, which is used by the committee in alloting Honor Flags, or four times the two per cent. requirement.

## IRISH PROTEST BRITAIN'S NEW DRAFT PLAN

### Stormy Scene in Parliament at Announcement by Premier Lloyd George

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nations must undergo further hardships to bring about a decisive victory.

**WORLD'S LIBERTY AT STAKE.**

The Premier pointed out that the liberty of the world was at stake and that the people of the allied nations must give their utmost to defeat the German efforts.

Advices from Dublin today stated that feeling was running high over the premature announcement of the Premier that a bill would be introduced in Parliament to grant home rule to Ireland along the lines of the recommendations made in the report of the Irish House Rule convention.

It was regarded as significant that Former Premier Asquith, in a speech following the Premier, made no reference to Ireland, but spoke only of the grave situation on the battle front. Mr. Asquith, in order to illustrate the ferocity of the German efforts, read of a letter from his son (an artillery officer) who said that his battery had been in 11 weeks' continuous engagements in twelve days.

The Nationalists are threatening to do all they can to block the intentions of the government, and their temper was shown by loudly uttered remarks made during the course of the Premier's speech.

It is believed, however, that the Irish conscription measure will have the whole-hearted support of the Liberals, Unionists and Laborites.

**PRAISED AS MASTER STROKE.**

When Mr. Lloyd George uttered the impressive words: "Save Ireland, it is not possible any longer to justify her exclusion from the (conscription) act," cheers burst loudly from all quarters of the House except where the Irish Nationalists sat.

It is not known when the next step will be taken to draft Irishmen of military age.

Mr. Lloyd George's speech received high praise today. One of the most bitter strokes of his brilliant career, he said, was the reference to the fact the United States is the war, and said that the act of President Wilson in placing American troops at the disposal of the allies could not be overestimated.

The man-power act places at the disposal of the government the services of every able-bodied man up to forty years and in some instances up to fifty-five.

### Bostonians' Views on the Crisis Over Home Rule in Ireland

Premier Lloyd George's speech urging home rule and conscription for Ireland was widely discussed here today. Opinions of prominent Bostonians follow:

**JOHN J. SULLIVAN, president of the Charitable Irish Society:**

The people of Ireland have been fighting for home rule for years. They are entitled to it. I've always advocated it. There are good grounds for repudiating conscription. Why should they be conscripted when they are denied self-government? People are human throughout the world. Their rights must be enforced. I haven't read the present home rule bill proposed for the relief of Ireland. I should like to go over it thoroughly before passing judgment.

**JOHN R. MURPHY, Chairman of the Boston Finance Commission:**

I know very little of the details of the Lloyd George plan, but my judgment will be guided entirely by the action of Irish Parliamentary Party. I believe we should be governed by their decision. We are 3,000 miles away, involved in a big war, while they are on the ground and know conditions. It seems reasonable to believe that they know more about the matter than we do.

I feel that we are like the stockholders in a big enterprise. We are intensely interested in the success of the corporation, but rely on the judgment of the duly appointed officials to carry on the business. The Irish Parliamentary party has proven itself capable of handling the affairs of Ireland and I believe they will do what is best for all concerned.

**JOHN J. KEENAN, Secretary of the Charitable Irish Society:**

Home rule is in my judgment the best thing for the Irish people. It would promote the happiness of Ireland as a whole. It would be helpful in many ways. It would be advantageous to the mother country to give the people of Ireland the right to self-government. There is no question but what Ireland is doing its duty and can always be relied upon to do so. The Irish soldiers are doing their full share of the work.

**MARK H. CREHAN, leading Home Rule advocate:**

After the Easter rebellion in Ireland Mr. Asquith, then Premier, went over to Dublin and said that the conditions at Dublin Castle must be changed. He named a committee, including Lloyd George and members of the House of Parliament. This committee reached an agreement providing for home rule. I cannot give Ireland temporary home rule as a war measure, as a settlement of the difficulties until the war should be over. After agreeing to that they went back on their agreement.

Up to that time the Irish people had volunteered to fight for the freedom and equality of the smaller nations. Up to that time Ireland had supplied more than her quota for the war. From the breaking of that agreement there has not been any volunteering.

"We have a right to home rule. We must get it, the same as they have it in Canada, Australia and South Africa. We will take nothing less.

"If we have home rule we can

## REDMOND'S SON A CHIP OF THE OLD BLOCK AS A CAMPAIGNER FOR VOTES

*Picture of Captain William Redmond, son of the late John E. Redmond, on his recent electioneering tour for the Waterford sitting of his father in Parliament. Captain Redmond easily defeated his Sinn Fein opponent.*

volunteer for fighting without conscription, as they have done."

**CHANNING H. COX, Speaker of the House of Representatives:**

From the morning reports of Lloyd George's speech I am not able to understand just what sort of "home rule" is proposed for Ireland and am not therefore prepared to comment on his proposal. It would be a great gain for the allies if the people of Ireland could now receive political rights which would so unite them in our common cause that Italy, France, England and America could have their enthusiastic support.

**CALVIN COOLIDGE, Lieutenant-Governor:**

Everybody who favors liberty has got to get on the side of the allies. Anybody who favors liberty as a principle must favor it not only for himself but also for everybody else. It always has been a result of human experience that those who are not willing to fight for liberty could not maintain it.

The representatives of the Irish race have in every case in history been given promotion to their support of liberty, in peace and in war. I am very much gratified that the government of Great Britain is hoping to find a practical solution of the long-time Irish question which will give the Irish people the form of government they desire and insure their cooperation to the extent of their ability to defeat German military despotism.

### CALL FOR AMBULANCE DRIVERS IN ITALY

Volunteers for ambulance driving in Italy who can pay their own expenses are wanted by the foreign transportation office of the American Red Cross at No. 120 Boylston street, according to an announcement today. Grayson M. Mosier, the recruiting officer in charge, received word from Washington that he be solicited for a term of six months under circumstances similar to the old volunteer ambulance service which was taken over by the government. Men between the ages of twenty-five and fifty are acceptable for this work.

### "GOD BLESS THE KAISER" GETS HIM TWO MONTHS

Frank McElroy, a Charlestown gardener, was given two months today by Judge Sullivan in the Charlestown court for saying "God bless the Kaiser." He appealed and was held for the Superior Court.

McElroy was accused by John Brougham, an officer of the United States Guard, of declaring that the United States would never get back the money that was loaned to England and saying, also "To hell with England."

He was drinking in a hotel at the time and Brougham summoned Patrolman Crowley and had him arrested.

When he was being led away McElroy declared he could whip any Englishman in the United States.

### CONNECTICUT'S BIG LOG DRIVE BIGGER THAN EVER

Bellows Falls, Vt., April 10.—As a result of increased demands for the war, the annual log drive of the International Paper Company, now in progress, is larger than usual by three or four million feet. Four million feet of logs are to be run at Sharon by a boom on the White River and the nine million feet remaining in the drive are scattered all the way to the source of the river. In about a week, when sufficient logs have come down, the drive will be released into the Connecticut River and floated to the Fall Mountain mill of the International Paper Company at Bellows Falls. Here it will be beached and converted into paper in the mills.

## Ole Bull Legacy Tax Is Lost to State by Court Ruling

The full bench of the Supreme Court today decided that the Commonwealth is not entitled to a legacy or succession tax of 1% assessed upon the estate of the late Ole Bull, widow of Ole Bull, the famous violinist, and has dismissed with costs a bill brought by Attorney-General Attwill against Joseph G. Tharp, a brother of Mrs. Bull.

On February 5, 1883, Mrs. Bull, then a resident of Cambridge, conveyed to her brother, Joseph G. Thorp, securities valued at $31,270, which at that time yielded an income of $1,885. The trust deed provided that the net income of the fund should be paid to Olea Vaughn Bull, a daughter of Mrs. Bull, during her life, and to any child or children who might survive her.

It was further provided that the daughter might pay over the principal, in whole or in part, as a fund to be devoted to any educational or philanthropic purposes in Norway associated with the name of her father, the Bull, or by will might direct the disposition of the fund.

In case Olea Vaughn Bull died without leaving children or making a will, Mrs. Bull specified that the fund should be equally divided between the children of Mr. Thorp.

## MILWAUKEE RAID ROUNDS UP 50 PRO-GERMANS

### Prisoners Said to Have Talked Sedition After Failing to Register as Aliens

By International News Service.

Milwaukee, April 10.—More than two Federal agents led by United States Marshal Randolph and R. H. Spencer of the Milwaukee office of the Department of Justice, in fifty automobiles, raided so-called disloyal centres of this city today and captured more than fifty alleged disloyalists.

These men are said to have violated the President's proclamation by failing to register as alien enemies, to have made treasonable speeches and to have interfered with the recent local election.

The Federal men are still coming the city. Many more arrest are expected and the pro-Germans are in a panic.

### NAVY YARD GIRLS WIN IN BASKETBALL BATTLE

Nearly 400 people watched the Navy Yard girls defeat the Army girls in a basketball game in Paine Gymnasium, 16 to 11. The game is now a tie, the Navy having won on Feb. 22.

Miss Gertrude French starred at centre for the Navy. Other stars were Miss Sullivan and Miss Potter. Misses Julia Leahy, Nellie Looney and Lillian Sinclair excelled for the Army. The proceeds were turned over to the American Red Cross.

## TAKEN AS 'FAKE' OFFICER WHILE GIRL WAITS

### Goodwin Took Name of Real Soldier, Then Wooed; Was to Wed Soon

Otis Goodwin, who, army officials say, is also known as Johnson, a soldier arrested tonight with wearing illegally the uniform of a second lieutenant of the Medical Department, U. S. A., in the lines at the Commonwealth armory, Boylston street, Brookline, headquarters, and after telling his story was allowed to take the stones away with him.

City officials say that because of an alleged fake officer it will be necessary for the woman to divide with the city, provided she succeeds in disposing of the gems.

### NO CHANGE IN RULING ON MAIL FOR SOLDIERS

The postoffice department's ruling that nothing shall be sent overseas to the soldiers except articles which they themselves request and for which they receive the approval of their officers unless just what it says, according to Postmaster Murray. Postmaster says that there has been no modification of this order and that it is already in effect. Also the order against the sending of newspapers and papers to soldiers and sailors abroad has been modified, there is no objection on the part of the public to the sending of magazines and periodicals and newspapers to soldiers in camps in this country.

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## PEARL STRING LOST FROM HUN MELTING POT?

### 399 Gems May Have Been Sent From Germany to Be Turned Into Cash for Spy Funds

Intimations that the mysterious pearl necklace found on a Boston street was of foreign construction led today to the theory that it may have been on its way in the German "melting pot" formerly located in the back bay.

This "melting pot," into which every real valuable of all kinds were sent by German sympathizers, was discovered following the arrest of Dr. Karl Muck, director of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, as an alien enemy.

It was suggested that the necklace was probably stolen in some other country, brought to Boston for the purpose of passing it in the "melting pot" and dropped on Newbury street, where it was found by Mrs. Josiah Fiske, wife of a New Bedford millionaire.

Because of this the person who dropped it has not dared to put in a claim for the gems, which Mrs. Fiske would consent to use of her arrest.

**GERMANY AFTER PEARLS.**

This would account for the failure of the owner to claim the string of first-class, consisting of 399 perfectly matched pearls with a diamond clasp, the whole said to be worth thousands of dollars.

It is also known that pearls are in particular demand by Germany at present, according to a story from Paris stating that nearly 150,000,000 francs' worth of these stones had been sold in that city through agents in anticipation of Parisian jewelers. It further stated that but for the activity of the French authorities the Germans would have succeeded in securing the entire supply of pearls in the London and Paris markets. As a result a large number of French pearls are now in this country.

The sensation in question is at the present time in the possession of Summer Pierce of New Bedford, a quartermaster on one of the New England steamships plying between Boston and Fall River. The Pierce family are friends of the Cash family.

It was to Mr. Pierce that Mrs. Cash went after having advertised for an hour in the Globe without result.

**NO ONE CLAIMS GEMS.**

Mr. Pierce was asked to take the pearls to a New York and see what could be done. He did so and while waiting for an answer to his wire was questioned by a detective. Pierce told the story as he knew it and left the necklace with the police for safekeeping. They sent a description of it to all the burglar insurance companies who could locate no one who had lost it.

Pierce was advised to communicate with Commissioner Hall. He visited Captain Charles W. Searles, in charge of the Newport police headquarters, and after telling his story was allowed to take the stones away with him.

City officials say that because of an alleged fake officer it will be necessary for the woman to divide with the city, provided she succeeds in disposing of the gems.

Beginning Tomorrow Morning at 9 A. M.

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*Including Every Smart Model of the Hour*

This Suit $25

**Coloring**

*Countless new shades of blue, stunning navy, sand, moss, soldat blue, Quaker gray, ashes.*

**$25**

**Materials**

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Presenting in this city—simultaneously with our famous Fashion Shop in New York City—a fashion review of the later, revised, Successful Spring Models—reproduced specially for the occasion to meet the price—$25! Many duplicates of exclusive and expensive metropolitan tailleurs.

*Elegantly styled, plain tailored models—fashioned in all the precision of fine custom tailoring—including Sack Suits, Peplum Suits, Sports Suits, Walking Suits, Pony Suits, Vestee Suits, Etons, etc.*

***Sizes for Misses—***
In dashing, youthful lines, and sometimes in almost boyish effects—lively, flapper-looking materials—splendidly answering every need in the way of fashion and serviceability.

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Not ordinary suits in large sizes, but suits specialized for larger figures—so artfully designed they actually convey the impression of slimness by their length-giving lines.

*No Charge for Alterations.*

*At the New* **Bedell** *Fashion Shop*

*Washington, Corner Bedford*

# ALL UP FOR CAMP BASEBALL FUND!

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teams, no locker rooms and whenever there is a game only those in the front ranks of the crowd can see the players.

**NEED ONLY SMALL AMOUNT.**

What they need is this grandstand, and if the relatives and friends of 25,000 men there would make only a small contribution the thing would be done. It isn't a very large amount that is needed. Many a man in this city has subscribed for Liberty Bonds as much as this whole thing will cost.

So that, even with the third Liberty Loan going on, it is not too much to ask for the necessary amount.

Wherever in this city the movement has been brought to the attention of the public the most enthusiastic response has been forthcoming. Every day the mail is filled with letters from people boosting the fund. It would be impossible to print all these letters because of lack of space, but some representative ones may be used.

**SAYS CITIZENS SHOULD AID.**

John J. Martin, president of the Exchange Trust Company, for instance, writes: "Every patriotic citizen should get behind this fund and push it through to a quick and successful completion. It is only a small sum, all told, and when we think of what the soldiers at Camp Devens are willing to undergo for us and are undergoing for us, it should loosen up our pursestrings. The Boston AMERICAN is to be congratulated for undertaking to raise this fund in behalf of the men who are training to fight the battles of liberty in France."

Miss Dorothy Forbes, Back Bay society leader, in an interview with the AMERICAN, said that she highly approved of the idea.

"I am so busy with Red Cross work," she said, "that I am unable to do what I would like to do—go out and work for this cause. But I shall send my personal check to Lieutenant Deming. I think it an excellent idea."

**HOW TO SEND MONEY.**

A word as to the right way to make your contribution to this fund. **DO NOT MAKE ANY CHECKS FOR THE FUND PAYABLE TO THE BOSTON AMERICAN. MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO ROBERT C. DEMING, TREASURER, WHO IS IN CHARGE OF THE FUND, THE AMERICAN IS ACTING SIMPLY AS A TRANSFER AGENT.**

Contributions to the Boston AMERICAN Camp Devens Baseball Fund will be received by this paper for transfer to Lieutenant Deming, or if contributors prefer, they may send their contributions direct to Lieutenant Robert C. Deming, Treasurer, Boston AMERICAN Camp Devens Baseball Fund, at Camp Devens.

Every contribution, whether received by the Boston AMERICAN or received by Lieutenant Deming, will be acknowledged in the columns of the Boston AMERICAN.

The latest list of contributions follows:

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| Previously acknowledged | $841.25 |
| Wm. | .50 |
| Twirl | .50 |
| Dick | .50 |
| Will | .50 |
| Dan | .50 |
| Chas. J. Brown | 2.00 |
| John T. Fitzgerald | 25.00 |
| H. C. Talbot | 10.00 |
| John J. Curtin | 5.00 |
| J. J. McNamara | 5.00 |
| David Henry | 5.00 |
| Commercial Athletic Club | 27.50 |
| U. S. Metal& Mfg.Co. | 25.00 |
| Boston Silk Shop | 5.00 |
| Garry Small | 5.00 |
| Total | $395.25 |

**CHARLIE DICKERMAN,** former Princeton football star, now athletic coach of Somerville High Schools: "I most heartily indorse the Boston AMERICAN'S plan to provide an athletic field for the boys at Camp Devens. Athletics will help both morally and physically to build up the United States Army."

**STATE SENATOR EDWARD G. MORRIS:** "I am enthusiastic over the plan of Boston's greatest newspaper to help the defenders of the nation in securing an athletic field where they can play the nation's greatest game. It is only another great achievement of the Boston AMERICAN. Every person, rich or poor, in New England should help to make the plan a success."

**CITY CLERK EMERY L. CRANE of Quincy:** "I feel that the laying out of a ball park at Camp Devens suggested by the Boston AMERICAN is one of the best means of keeping the boys in good spirits, and giving them safe and sane amusement, that has yet been devised."

## *Baseball Is Best Remedy for Blues in Camp, Says Gen. Sweetser*

**By BRIGADIER-GENERAL E. LEROY SWEETSER, of Massachusetts, now commanding a division of the Second Army Corps at Spartanburg, S. C.**

NOTHING better than baseball for troops in training could be imagined. It furnishes the necessary amusement, and combines exercise with pleasure. It's the greatest remedy in the world for young fellows who are afflicted with worries or blues. We of the army more than appreciate everything that is being done to provide the American soldier with the materials for the American game.

The soldier must have his fun along with his work and outside help takes just so much care off the shoulders of those in charge. A real baseball field in a camp town is something that soldiers miles away from homes dream about.

**REPRESENTATIVE BENJAMIN LONGING YOUNG, of Weston:**

I am sending a check for $5 toward the baseball fund. Your splendid undertaking deserves the hearty support which it is sure to receive.

**GEORGE STUART, Street Commissioner of Newton:**

There is a lot of work ahead of our soldiers at Camp Devens. Nothing should be spared to make their lives as happy as possible. Let's help to make good soldiers out of our men by giving them a chance to play and enjoy clean and healthful sport.

### Rhode Island Governor Praises Baseball Fund and Sends Check for $50

Providence, April 10.—Governor Beeckman is never too busy with matters of state to tell of his prowess as a pitcher for a Newport high school baseball team and follows the rendition with eulogy for the Boston AMERICAN for forthering the Devens baseball fund after signing a check [illegible] with his customary "If that ain't enough come again, you [illegible]."

"I am glad to have an opportunity to show our Rhode Island boys that the old fellows are still in the running. It is a splendid idea. You know what they say about all work and no play. I recall how proud I was when I put one over on some fellow who thought he was a fence-breaker. You know they credited me with being some pitcher. I do believe there is a game in me yet.

"I would consider it an honor to be invited to Camp Devens when the boys get their grounds. Encourage the boys who are going to make the world safe for democracy. And, another thought, keep me posted on the progress so I can do my share for the Rhode Island boys who are deserving of the best baseball park that money can buy."

The Governor's check has been sent to Lieutenant Deming at Camp Devens for official confirmation.

### THREE DEAF AND DUMB MEN WANT TO SERVE

New York, April 10.—About 800 applicants applied at the recruiting division of the Mayor's Committee on National Defence. Three deaf and dumb men applied. They wanted to get in some branch of the service. They were directed to the Public Service Bureau at No. 23 East Twenty-Second street.

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Finest Fresh Whole Milk Creamery

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Raisins Not-a-Seed Pkg. 15c
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*Murad*

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**A PORTION OF THE ENTIRE STORY ONLY TOLD**

No advertisement can contain the great number of offerings.
Each advertisement of the successive pages which are run serially during the week, tells the story only in part, and is only intended to give an idea of what to expect.
This sale means much to you—or nothing—in proportion to the heed and action you take of each day's offerings.

# THE SHEPARD STORES.

COURTESY THE KEYNOTE OF SHEPARD SERVICE

**"LOTS" OF GOODS WILL SELL OUT**

The goods will not remain "to come back for."
Quantities of some items are not as large as formerly—yet a tremendous volume of merchandise is provided to sustain the sale to full efficiency to the end.
Each lot is small as compared with the demand for the values they represent—we promise you no disappointments, except such as are your fault by delay in buying.

A Shepard **THOROUGHFARE SALE** is a sale—apart—

Economy—is illustrated at its true value **not** by **efforts** for a **low price, but** by prices low for Shepard standard merchandise—the only kind in this sale—

And how the public who have visited us so far have appreciated what they saw and bought.

We **know** the merchandise you want.
It is for that reason—that this Sale is of **greater** importance than ever before.
It is at a time when

**ECONOMY** means **both price and quality**

Shepard standards—just now mean the difference between **waste** and **saving.**

**ALL FUR SETS 1-4 OFF**

—original marked price.

Scarfs and muffs are also included in this offer.

(Winter Street—Second Floor)

# OUR ANNUAL THOROUGHFARE CELEBRATION SALE

## —CONTINUING DURING THE ENTIRE WEEK

**ODD PIECES MAHOGANY FURNITURE 20% OFF**

—beautifully finished and unique pieces for Living Room, Reception Room, Hall or Chamber.

(Winter Street—Third Floor)

THOROUGHFARE SALE BRINGS

## LINENS AT FORMER LOW PRICES!

This Thoroughfare Sale is really an extraordinary occasion. For not only are today's Linen prices high—but linens are scarce **at any price.**

By good fortune, however—helped by a lot of hard work—we have been able to obtain for our great Thoroughfare Sale

**Shepard Quality Linens at "Economy" Prices**

Savings—splendid savings—on all items.

**One Lot of Odd Napkins,** all pure linen. This lot is exceptional and marked at a real Thoroughfare Sale price—indeed when this supply is gone, you will pay more for cotton napkins..... **3.65**

**Fine All Linen Napkins,** good size, 22x22 inches. Take advantage of this typical Thoroughfare Sale offering as we positively cannot sell an all linen napkin at this price for many a month to come..... **4.35**

**Union Napkins,** in two sizes. This is a one-half linen napkin and ideal for Summer use in country home and cottage. There are but 250 dozen in the lot. Two sizes.

Size 18 inch..... **2.95**
Size 19½ inch..... **3.25**

**Cloths and Napkins**

One lot of cloths with napkins to match. If this order had not been placed over 18 months ago, it would be impossible to procure at any price today. Fine quality, pure Irish linen.

2x2 yards, a 5.50 quality, Sale Price **3.65**
2x2½ yards, a 6.75 quality, Sale Price **4.65**
22 inch Napkins to match, a 6.75 quality at **5.25**

(Sold in Sets Only)

**Extra heavy all pure Linen Table Cloths,** 2x2 yards. No napkins to match. The manufacturers' price today is 6.00. There are only 125 cloths, all marked at **4.65**

**We have taken these cloths** from our regular stock and cut the price on every item and grouped them at the following one price:

16 2x2 yards.....
25 2x2½ yards.....
9 2½x2½ yards..... } **5.95**
17 2x3 yards.....

**All Pure Linen Damask,** a good heavy quality, 70 inches wide. When we offer an all linen damask of this sort at 1.45, we are certainly living up to the Shepard standard of Thoroughfare Sale offerings..... **1.45**

**Heavy All Linen Damask,** a fine quality, the manufacturer's price today is 2.50 a yard. Marked at a Thoroughfare Sale price of **1.85**

(Tremont Street—Fourth Floor)

## DRAPERIES
### THOROUGHFARE PRICES

**Couch Covers,** in Chenille, unique patterns and colorings in green and blue, mightily low priced. Thoroughfare Sale Price.... **8.95**

**Velvet Portieres,** splendid lustre, regularly priced 24.00, special Thoroughfare Sale Price **19.45**

**Lyric Velvet,** in five colors, lustrous and heavy, 50 inches wide. **1.95**

**Matting Covered Utility Boxes,** bamboo trimmed, with inside tray, also with casters, **4.95**

**Cretonne Covered Utility Boxes,** very pretty colorings and designs, with pockets, low priced for this sale, at **2.95**

**Cretonne Covered Utility Boxes,** a larger size, **3.95**

**Imported English Cretonnes,** for slip covers, draperies and furniture coverings, during the sale, priced at 29c

**Moquette Couch Covers,** desirable patterns, many are copies of Oriental rugs, **10.45**

**Couch Covers,** in all Spring designs and colors, heavy weaves, special at **3.45, 4.95, 5.95**

**Tapestries,** in seven patterns, good assortment of colorings, suitable for furniture coverings, Thoroughfare Sale Price, yard, **1.79**

**American Roller Print Cretonnes,** in many designs and colorings, Thoroughfare Sale saving on this item, yard **23c**

**Java Floss Pillows,** guaranteed odorless, two sizes.

Size 22x22 ..... **89c**
Size 24x24 ..... **69c**

(Winter Street—Third Floor)

## BEDS, MATTRESSES, SPRINGS—RARE OFFERINGS

**White Enamel Bed Outfit,** with continuous post, National wire spring, cotton combination mattress; if bought separately would cost 21.00, special for this sale at **17.95**

**Brass Bed,** all sizes, guaranteed lacquer velvet finish, panel head with 5-inch fillers, **20.45**

**White Enamel Bed,** 2-inch continuous post with heavy fillers, all sizes, National wire spring, silk floss mattress, roll edge; if bought separate the price would be 54.00, Thoroughfare Sale Price **29.35**

(Winter Street—Third Floor)

**Silk Floss Mattress,** 1 or 2 parts, guaranteed odorless and pure, choice of ticks, **15.95**

**National Wire Spring,** all sizes, full helical, extra high, regularly 7.50, Sale Price **5.95**

**Shepard Upholstered Box Spring,** diamond lashed, choice of ticks, all sizes; our regular price 32.50, specially priced for this sale at **24.95**

**Large Willow Chair,** natural finish, broad arm, deep seat, regular price 14.50, Sale Price **11.45**

(Temple Place—Third Floor)

## CHILDREN'S-GIRLS' WEAR

Thousands of fresh new garments specially priced.

The Thoroughfare Sale is a sale of helpfulness. Its economies are many—and real.

Typical of the values offered are these to be found in this dainty merchandise for girls.

**Girls' Poplin Middy Dresses,** in pink or blue, with collar, cuffs and bottom of "middy" trimmed with white, skirt plaited on separate underwaist, middy laced in front. Thoroughfare Sale Price..... **1.39**

**Girls' Chambray Dresses,** like sketch, high waist style, pointed belt effect, piped with white, sizes 6 to 14 years, Thoroughfare Sale Price **1.95**

**Many Unusual Models in Girls' Dresses** in colors, at **2.95 to 10.50**

**Girls' White Dresses,** several new fresh styles for girls 6 to 14, dainty and neat, not too over-dressed styles, **5.00**

**Also White Dresses, 3.95, 5.95 to 16.50**

**Children's Bloomer Play Dress,** having the effect of separate waist and bloomer, plain colors with striped waist, button back, 2 to 5 years, specially priced **1.19**

**Rompers and Creepers,** in white or plain colors, good quality poplin or made of madras or striped seersucker, Thoroughfare Sale Price **69c**

**Rompers and Creepers,** of poplin, madras or fine materials, also neat distinctive styles, Thoroughfare Sale Price **1.00, 1.50 up**

**Children's Dresses** with separate bloomers in striped materials only, sizes 2 to 6, Thoroughfare Sale Price **1.19**

(Winter Street—Third Floor)

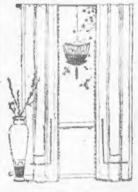
**The Thoroughfare Sale offers splendid opportunities to**

## REFURNISH YOUR HOME AT LOW COST
### CURTAINS—NOW, AT SAVINGS

**Irish Point Curtains,** imported from Switzerland, many excellent patterns, special for the Thoroughfare Sale at, pair,
**4.95, 5.95, 6.95, 7.95**

**Scrim and Fine Voile Curtains,** some lace trimmed others with hand drawn work, corners in white, ivory and ecru, incomparable values at, pair,
**1.15, 1.65, 1.95, 2.45, 2.95, 3.95, 4.95**

**Sash Curtains,** crossbar and plain muslin, a special for the Thoroughfare Sale at, pair..... **35c**



**Marquisettes,** in border and plain mercerized, excellent quality, all specially priced for the Thoroughfare Sale at..... **29c**

**Imported French Lacet Curtains,** on beautiful heavy nets, many designs typical of what to expect at our Thoroughfare Sale, four pricings,
**5.95, 7.45, 8.45, 10.45**

**Domestic Muslins,** in many patterns, suitable for curtains, exceptional at the price..... **19c**

**Scrims and Voiles,** in white, ivory and beige, in plain, stripes and blocks (mercerized), a special at, yard **29c**

**Lightweight Sunfast Materials,** ten colors, desirable and low priced..... **79c**

**Imported Swiss Tambour Muslin Curtains,** a special importation, in 14 different patterns, three special prices,
**1.95, 2.45, 3.45**

**Imported Scotch Madras,** about 26 patterns, yard..... **29c**

**Two-thread Heavy Scrim Curtains,** eight designs in white and ecru, hand-drawn in exquisite designs, these will go quickly at the prices marked,
**2.45, 2.95, 3.15, 3.95, 4.45, 4.95, 5.95**

(Winter Street—Third Floor)



## TALKING MACHINE SPECIALS

**12.00 Cabinets,** slightly used, to match either Grafonolas or Victrolas..... **10.00**
**10.00 Cabinets** for..... **8.00**
**1.25 Record Albums** for..... **89c**

Special Terms on Victrolas and Grafonolas.

(Temple Place—Third Floor)

## WOMEN'S FOOTWEAR
### "BEST" AT SAVING PRICES

—Not slow sellers or shoes without style—but shoes of dainty cut, that will wear long and wear well.

—Best shoes at saving prices—that is the whole story that the Shoe Store has to tell any time.

—But particularly is this true at the Thoroughfare Sale when low prices on desirable shoes are marked even lower.

**Women's Tan Oxfords,** low walking heel, extra special, typical Thoroughfare Sale offering at **4.45**

**Women's Patent or Dull Pumps,** Cuban heel, welt sole, very smart, extremely low priced for this sale at **4.45**

**Women's Mahogany Tan Pumps,** welt sole, low walking heel. Fortunate will be the women who procure these pumps at the special price of **4.45**

(Temple Place—First Floor)

### CHILDREN'S SHOES

**Misses' Kid Button Shoes,** pony cut, low walking heel, sizes 11½ to 2, Thoroughfare Sale Price **2.95**

**Children's Kid Button Shoes,** pony cut, low walking heel, sizes 8½ to 11, Thoroughfare Sale Price **2.65**

(Winter Street—Third Floor)

## TOWELS UNDERPRICED

Marked at unmatchable Thoroughfare Sale Prices.

**Heavy Huck Towels,** hemmed and hemstitched, good wearing quality, some with pink and blue borders, 33c is a fair price for these towels but they are marked for the Thoroughfare Sale at **25c**

**Half Linen Hemstitched Towels,** fine quality huck, close, firm weave, a special Thoroughfare offering, **33c**

**150 Dozen Huck Towels,** made from huck by the yard, cut 18x36, 19c to 25c each would be a just figure for these towels, yet priced for the Thoroughfare Sale at, each **15c**

**Extra Heavy Turkish Towels,** plain white and fancy stripe, regularly would be sold for 39c, Thoroughfare Sale Price **25c**

**Turkish Towels,** plain white, a good size for beach use, or may be used for home use as well, **19c**

**Large Size Turkish Towels,** some colored borders, some plain white, regularly priced at 50c, Thoroughfare Sale Price, **35c**

**Dish Towels,** heavy plain white, russia weave, some fine weave, a good service towel, special Thoroughfare Sale offering **16c**

**Dish Towels,** part linen, fine quality, size 18x36, some with blue borders, Sale Price **12½c**

**All Linen Crash,** an assortment of three different grades, all marked at one low price, for the Thoroughfare Sale, **25c**

**All Linen Glass Towels,** extra special at **25c**

(Tremont Street—Fourth Floor)

Generous, indeed, are the savings on

## RIBBONS IN THE THOROUGHFARE SALE

Ribbons have an important place in this sale.

Variety, richness and elaborate patterns that have never been excelled, and all at Thoroughfare Sale prices.

**Dresden Ribbons**—4½ to 6 in. wide, light and dark colorings, 25c and 29c qualities, on which the price has been cut for this sale to..... **19c**

**Moire and Satin Stripe Hair Bow and Sash Ribbon**—4½ inches wide, a 29c quality. Specially priced at **19c**

**Loom Ends of Ribbon**—From 5½ to 7 inches wide, in satin, taffeta and moires, 49c to 59c qualities, marked for the Thoroughfare Sale at..... **35c**

**6 and 7-Inch Dresden Faille Ribbon**—Same with 11½-inch heavy moire border, dainty ribbon for camisoles and bags, a 59c quality at..... **39c**

**A limited assortment of bag tops,** 6 and 7-inch sizes, in ox, and gold.

Fancy gold and ox, effects, 89c quality, for the Thoroughfare Sale, specially priced at, each..... **45c**

Fancy gold and ox, jewelled effects, 98c quality, for the Thoroughfare Sale, priced at, each..... **55c**

(Winter Street—First Floor)



## SEWING MACHINES AT 29.75

Regular **45.00 Values from the Sew & Save Club Sale.**

**20 Brand New Sewing Machines** made by one of the world's best makers and right in every way; choice $29.75.

Terms 1.00 First Payment, 1.00 a Week.

(Temple Place—Third Floor)

## NEW SUMMER BLOUSES
### ARE HERE FOR THE THOROUGHFARE SALE

—and substantial savings are to be had on each one.

Just the definitely different effects that you will be glad to select from.

Blouses for dressier occasions, so helpfully becoming, smart and dainty looking.

—And with all these desirable features, they are all reduced in price and marked at figures that will prompt every woman to buy at least two or three.

**Georgette Crepe Blouses**—Elaborately trimmed with Venise lace motifs and hand embroidery; a blouse that should be marked at 10.50. Thoroughfare Sale price..... **8.95**

**Georgette Crepe Blouse**—Dainty, in white and flesh color, usually selling for 6.95, special for the Thoroughfare Sale at..... **5.00**

**Crepe de Chine Blouse**—In flesh, white, bisque, black and new blue, dainty models, regularly selling for 4.00 and marked especially for this sale at..... **2.95**

**Silk Blouse**—In flesh, white and navy, of soft radium silk, special at..... **3.95**

**Radium Silk Blouse**—In flesh, white and black, front made with vest effect, this blouse should be marked at 7.50, an unusual offering at..... **5.69**

(Winter Street—Second Floor)

## WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS

—Four styles sketched of the many unusual values offered in this section for our great Thoroughfare Sale.

**Misses' Suits** of all-wool poplin, belted model, with strap and button trimming, silk bow tie; peau de cygne lined. **25.00**

**Women's Suits** of all-wool poplin, lined with peau de cygne coat, have shirred shaped panel front and back..... **25.00**

**Misses' Suits** of gabardine, semi-box coat with belted back, braid trimmed silk vest and top collar, Tuxedo collar, in black, navy and shepherd checks..... **35.00**

**Women's Suits** of all-wool serge, in black and navy; double ripple peplum in back, narrow belt of self-material; peau de cygne lined..... **25.00**

(Winter Street—Second Floor)

## IN OUR PICTURE STORE

**Old Master Subjects,** in antique gilt frames, size 10x12, **50c**

**Upright Novelty Mirrors,** with ornamental tops, size 8x16, **2.50**

**Mirrors,** in upright designs, frames in mahogany finish, with burnished gold ornaments at top, size of plate 6x20, Thoroughfare Sale Price **3.00**

**Frames,** in antique gilt with pedestal standards, sizes 7x9, 8x10 Thoroughfare Sale Price **1.10**

**Frames,** in antique gilt with French standard backs, size 5x7, Thoroughfare Sale Price **1.00**

**Frames,** fitted with glass and back, antique gilt, 4x6, 5x7, 6x8, 6x9, 7x9, 7x10, 8x10, all at one special price **50c**

(Winter Street—Fourth Floor)

SAVE AND SERVE---HELP YOUR COUNTRY AND YOURSELF BY INVESTING IN ANOTHER LIBERTY BOND

# BELIEVE GLASS IN CORN CAKES KILLED BABY

### Portland Police Trace Food to New York Manufacturer With German Name

Portland, Me., April 10—Working on the theory that three-year-old Bernadet Stackpole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Stackpole, who died in violent convulsions a week ago, was killed by eating pop-corn cakes containing ground glass, the local police, county authorities, and federal authorities, have decided to exhume the body for autopsy.

The case was called to the attention of the police by Dr. L. Hurtubise, attending physician, who was unable to solve the reason for the child's death. He questioned the parents, and the mother recollected that the day before her death the girl had eaten some corn cakes purchased at a local store. It is understood that the police have since found ground glass in corn cakes purchased at the same place.

After the consignment of cakes had been traced to the stock of a Portland wholesaler and then to a New York manufacturer with a German name, the Department of Justice was called into the case.

Yesterday there was a double funeral here. For the eight-months-old baby brother of Bernadet died the day following her death, also of pneumonia.

## Can You Suggest a Popular Name for N. E. Soldiers?

What shall be the popular name of New England's Seventy-Sixth Division, now at Camp Devens?

Everyone has heard of the famous "Rainbow Division." Now the Eighty-Second Division, at Camp Gordon, Georgia, has been christened the "All-American Division." There are a large number of Massachusetts men at Camp Gordon.

New England's turn, the Seventy-Sixth Division at Devens, deserves as good a name as any military unit in the country. What shall it be?

Send your suggestions to the Boston AMERICAN at once.

# SAVE 3 WOMEN IN BLAZE AT WALTHAM

Michael Hardigan, driver of the hook and ladder truck, rescued four women from smoke-filled apartments in the Grayburn Block, corner of Chestnut and Moody streets, Waltham, early today. The rescued women, who were taken down a ladder in their night clothes, were Mrs. Mary Madden and her daughter May, Mrs. Lottie Dolley and Mrs. Edward Cain.

Eight other families living on the two upper floors of the block made their escape with difficulty. The blaze started in the basement of the large store of E. E. Patterson and quickly made its way to the rooms above, sending up great clouds of smoke. The drug store was gutted before the flames were arrested.

### Takes Up War Work

Sagamore, April 10—John W. Golgen has severed his connection with the Keith-Car and Manufacturing Co. to accept a position with the U. S. government in Washington. Mr. Golgen organized the 1st Limited Unit Class of Sagamore.


# ARMY AND NAVY AMERICAN

DEMOCRACY BOSTON, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 1918. LIBERTY


# SAILORS CARRY $17,897,500 IN INSURANCE

### Boys at Pier Making Good Showing—5,145 Applications Waiting

By PAUL F. WHELTON.

Aboard the receiving ship at Boston, and waiting but two days remaining before the expiration of insurance privileges, the insurance and allotment office on the receiving ship is able to show a grand total of $17,897,500 of insurance taken out by sailors to 5,145 beneficiaries. In addition, 4,145 applications for allotments have been made.

In the Soldiers' and Sailors' Campaign Fund report to February 15, the insurance and allotment office on the pier under Paymaster H. H. Leigh Wenning, 7th Lieutenant in a list of fifty-two training camps and naval stations, both army and navy. The Boston receiving ship made a far better showing even than did the majority of flying schools throughout the country, only five flying fields preceding it on the list in every case aircraft arriving aboard the receiving ship are men who have not left home out insurance or made their allotments. When such is the case Paymaster Hodgkinson, First Class Wenning, "T" Roberts and their corps of assistants send out the blue-jackets who have not gone through the procedure and before they again leave the ship the men and their dependents are well protected.

The average amount of insurance carried by a man in service, according to Yeoman Roberts, is approximately $5,000. The average policy carried by blue-jackets who, in the past, have been or who are at present members of the receiving ship "crew," figures about $7,000.

Under the compulsory allotment rules each man entering the service who has dependents must make out his allotment papers and assign a percentage of his pay to his dependents. In no case can less than $15 or more than half a man's pay be allotted. If a man has no dependents or is exempted from making an allotment, but must prepare his papers just the same.

### SOCIALIST WHO EVADED DRAFT GETS 25 YEARS

Camp Dodge, Iowa, April 10.—Nicholas Ungar, Socialist of St. Paul, Minn., and member of L. company, 351st Infantry, has been sentenced to twenty-five years at hard labor in Fort Leavenworth after his conviction by court-martial of draft evasion and refusal to obey orders.

### Ordered to Texas Camp

Hyannis, April 10.—Cadet Walter T. Baxter has been ordered to Texas, assigned to one of the flying schools. He recently completed a course in aeronautics at Cornell University.

## Editorial

The German hymn of hate was sung to Yankee music by Joseph C. Grew, former Secretary of the American Legation at Berlin, in his address to the officers of the 76th Division in the Liberty Theatre at Camp Devens.

The indistinct side of the Teuton nature is revealed by him should be long before the soldiers right up to the line they go into action.

Mr. Grew pictured the type of man our American soldier will be called upon to meet "over there." His interesting recital of everyday incidents in the life of the average German brought out the Hun inefficiency, inconsistency, and lack of chivalry that dominates the underlying elements of the Hun race.

His talk was intimate and highly instructive and the message he carried to the officers might well be repeated to the men.

# REAL WAR WORK ON CARD AT DEVENS

### Men Will Be Trained on Big Field Made to Represent No Man's Land

By WILLIAM FLYNN.

Wearing their gas masks and carrying full field equipment, many of the men at this cantonment will soon be compelled to go "over the top" firing their rifles and stabbing dummies with bayonets as part of their advanced course in war training.

The instruction is under the direction of Captain E. L. H. Goodday of the Canadian army, who is supervising the work in the division bayonet school. The new bayonet block of the base hospital is being put into shape. The course is 400 yards long and is lined with double rows of dummies, trenches, brooks and entanglements similar to those encountered in "No Man's Land."

Several of the candidates in the third officers' training school were exhibiting bruises and blackened eyes today as a result of their night falls in the trenches and early efforts to prevent being captured by the "enemy." Many of the successful candidates were also scheduled to undergo their final preliminary examination before being recommended for commissions.

The examining board was made up of Major Fiders M. Unger, Captain John S. Mulliken, First Lieutenant Paul J. Manning and Contract Surgeon Horace Hopewell.

The 5th Battalion of the Depot Brigade is also accredited to be turned into a negro battalion along with the 7th and 8th Battalions. The battalion will consist of about 1,000 men, about one hundred of which are expected to sleep out in tents until room in barracks can be found for them.

The rookies in the Depot Brigade are doing the fatigue work while the men of the 76th Division are on hikes or are ranging through the woods on combat problems.

Captain John S. Sigman of the base hospital staff has been transferred to Camp Sheridan at Chillicothe, O., and First Lieutenant Frank H. Matthewson of the base hospital has been sent to Fort McHenry, Md.

### CHARGE GANG STOLE SAILORS' WAR RELICS

Captain Goff and Special Officers Bartick and Norton of station 15 arrested James Cummings of Charlestown, who is charged with stealing $1,555 worth of clothing and souvenirs, the property of sailors.

The police say that Cummings, with a number of others who will soon be placed under arrest, entered the store of Snyder Brothers in Chelsea street, and stole from same bookers there twenty suits of clothes, two pairs of shoes, a cane-sword, a sapier and several other souvenirs brought home from foreign lands.

### GAS NEARLY KILLS COL. HUME OF 103D

Portland, Me., April 10.—According to information from overseas, Colonel M. Frank Hume of Houlton, former commander of the Second Maine Infantry and now commanding the 103d United States Infantry in France, suffered from a gas attack while in action. His condition was at first thought to be serious but he is now reported as having recovered. The 103d Regiment is composed of Maine and New Hampshire troops.

### TWO HYDE PARK MEN GIVEN COMMISSIONS

Dr. Joseph King Knight, Jr., of River street, Hyde Park, has been commissioned a first lieutenant, dental reserve corps.

E. Austin Rice, of No. 8 Peddy avenue, Hyde Park, has received a lieutenant's commission in the Coast Artillery Reserve Corps, after graduating from the Officers' Training Camp at Fortress Monroe, Virginia.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# ASKS CHANCE TO AVENGE KILLING OF FAMILY

### Alien at Camp Devens Asks War Department for a Crack at Germans

By WILLIAM FLYNN.

Private Vaughn P. Turekian of New Bedford, listed at this cantonment as an alien enemy, wants to get into the front line trenches and lead an attack on the Germans. He has filed a petition asking to be transferred from the second detachment of the quarantined corps to E company of the 302d Infantry Regiment.

Turekian is an Armenian, but was born in Harput, Turkey. He came to the United States in 1909 at the age of fourteen and for the last nine years lived in New Bedford where he was a shoeworker. He took out his first citizenship papers a year and a half ago. He was drafted, sent to this cantonment and assigned to E company of the 302d Regiment.

Later, following the receipt of the order establishing the status of enemy aliens in the United States army and navy, he was transferred to the Quarantined Corps.

Through a friend Turekian has learned that his father, an uncle and one of his brothers, were hanged by Turkish soldiers commanded by German officers after they had defended the Turekian home in Ourfa, Turkey, for fifteen days against the Turks. His mother and another brother were carried off into captivity.

Turekian's brother who was hanged was a naturalized American citizen, who went back to visit his folks in 1914. His name was Karsoof Turekian, and also made his home in New Bedford. Private Turekian wants an opportunity to wreak vengeance upon the Germans for the murder of his relatives. He was looked upon as one of the best soldiers in the "Old Colony" Regiment and a final decision in his case is pending. Turekian regards himself as an American citizen and believes he should be given an opportunity to strike a blow against Germany.

### HARVARD BATTALIONS TO GET REAL WORK

Practical work rather than that of theory will take up the Spring schedule of military training at Harvard. Starting April 27 each of the three battalions will spend a week out on the Naval Range, Wakefield, in field target practice.

Quarters will be provided on the range, at which the men will arrive Friday night, and their shooting will continue until Sunday afternoon, when the march home will start.

During May visits will be made regularly to the Harvard trenches at Soldiers Field and Waverley twice a week, and work there will be as near actual conditions on the western front as possible. Lieutenant Morise will be in command.

## Chaplain Carries Boxing Gloves and Testament

Chaplain Harry E. Hurd, formerly a Methodist minister at Reading, is one of the most popular chaplains at Camp Devens. He carries boxing gloves in one hand and the New Testament in the other.

"I've found the men clean and responsive. You can do more religious work among them than when you are in charge of a church," he says.

"I carry boxing gloves for them and watch their sports. Then I give them the teaching of the New Testament. I'm down on cigarettes. They know this.

"God bless the Catholics. They are a fine bunch. I take them rosaries and other things which are given me for them.

"My work carries me into the hospital. There you find the boys responsive. There is no better work today than administering to these soldier boys.

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### Boys Reach France Safely

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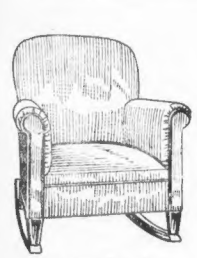

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# REVENUE FROM OYSTERS IS FALLING OFF

### Sewage Spoils Providence River Crop, Says Commissioner—Legislators Demand Inquiry

Providence, April 10.—Legislators say they will ask Governor Beeckman to investigate the reason for the diminishing revenue from oyster growing in the State, which has dropped from $120,000 to $80,000 annually in the past four years. A prominent Senator said:

"I know this is a delicate question to ask, under the existing circumstances, but I happen to represent a section in the State where oyster growing is the principal industry. If the business is depreciating, the General Assembly should be so informed. If the business is not carried on in a proper manner, then it is time to remedy the fault before the revenue dwindles to nothing."

Officials of the State Shell Fish Commission say they admit the decrease in revenue and attribute it to contamination and manufacturing wastes, as well as sewage emptied into Narragansett Bay. They say they have striven to have a Metropolitan Sewage Commission appointed by the general Assembly and charge the bill is constantly held up in Finance Committee. Oyster growers, the officials say, are unable to get a healthy oyster set owing to the pollution allowed to empty into the bay. East Providence and other sections, they say, have no sewage system other than the waters of Narragansett Bay.

The commission recommends drastic action in their report to the general Assembly, according to Secretary Drayton H. Rounds.

### ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF EMBEZZLING $3,100

Dover, N. H., April 10.—John A. Whelan, sought by Massachusetts authorities on a charge of embezzling $3,100 from the Adams Express Company at Franklin, Mass., was arrested here. He was recognized from a police circular. He had $300 when he was searched.

PRIVATE EDWARD B. CREED of the 101st Regiment of the U. S. forces in France, who is coming home on special mission for his unit.

By BEAT FORD.
International News Service Correspondent.

With the American Army in France, April 10.—Privats Eddie Creed, of South Boston, a son of Judge Michael J. Creed of the Boston Municipal Court, was a happy man today. He was ordered home as the representative of his unit on a special mission to the States. He lost no time in packing up for the journey.

A private from Connecticut, who was formerly a travelling salesman gave a graphic description today of the sensations that a man undergoes when he enters battle for the first time.

"It scares everybody," said the soldier. "Any one who says he is not frightened is certainly a fibber. When I heard my first shell I fell flat in the trench and expected death at any minute. My first impulse was to pray. My next thought was of my mother. The period of fright lasted about five minutes. Then I lifted my head and began to look around.

"My comrade on my left told me he had the same feeling. Shells were exploding all around. After a while I grew less scared and was very anxious to get at the Germans. I talked with many fellows who had been in the first-line trenches and all had the same experience. They all had the impulse to rush at the enemy.

"I can remember my school days when I could not bear to kill even an insect nor could I bear the sight of blood. I thought I could never learn to kill a man. But this all soon changes at the front and all are eager for a mixup.

"The spirit of the men is wonderful. They could fight their weight in wild cats. The American will certainly live up to all the traditions of their army when they get their fill of things.

"After an excursion in No Man's Land one of our fellows was missed.

"It's too bad to leave Jack out there," said his bunkie. He and several others begged an officer to go back and search for him. They found Jack buried waist deep in mud and unable to get out. They were saved him from the Germans, who undoubtedly would have captured him at daybreak and perhaps would have slit his throat as they had done to others. Jack was very happy when he reached our trenches, but he looked like a clay man."

Private Creed is twenty-three years old. His parents live at No. 197 Dorchester street, South Boston. He is a graduate of the Perry Grammar School. He later attended St. John's Preparatory School, [illegible] which he was graduated, being valedictorian of his class. [illegible] played halfback on the football eleven. He went to Chicago with the eleven and scored a number of touchdowns, which brought him into prominence in the athletic world. He was formerly on the reportorial staff of the Boston AMERICAN.

While taking a course at the Boston University Law School young Creed enlisted in the old 9th Massachusetts regiment, being made orderly to Colonel Edward L. Logan, who is one of the first members of the old regiment to be sworn in as a member of the 101st overseas regiment, which absorbed the Ninth and part of the Fifth Regiments. He was assigned to the supply train and had the distinction of being with the first contingent to arrive "somewhere in France."

During the recruiting drive in Boston to build up the 101st Regiment young Creed was selected by Colonel Logan to speak at the recruiting rallies. He stands a little more than six feet and is a splendid specimen of manhood.

# 25 IN NEW YORK BAND OF 'APACHES'

By International News Service.

New York, April 10.—Discovery of a so-called gang of Paris Apaches, using all their elegant methods in the line of the Federal and [illegible] against vice here.

Several members of the band have been safe custody in a raid on a fashionable house in the West Side and Thomas Attorney Swann announced today that [illegible] the gang, which is said to number [illegible] additional raids.

According to the district attorney's office, the gang has specialized in [illegible] and restaurants. Their victims have been wealthy visitors to New York, it is said, and thousands of dollars. The four members under arrest, one of their women, will be arraigned today on "white slave" charges. It is said that the male members of the gang came to this country from Paris and Italy to escape the draft. [illegible] The discovery of the gang was brought by the arrest of a pretty Belgian last Sunday in a vice raid. She alleges she was the "slave and gun-woman" of the leader of the gang.

Trembling with fright, the little Belgian girl peeped through a keyhole in the district attorney's office and identified the prisoners when they were brought in, it is said.

The district attorney's informant, who was one of the girls seized in the raids on all-night restaurants early Sunday, said that she came to this country six months ago, and fell in with a Frenchman who worked in the same hotel at Narragansett Pier. She became infatuated with him and he brought her to New York. Reality forcing her to go to the West Fifty-fifth street house.

She said she had been placed agents as waiters in New York hotels. When a wealthy foreigner came to the hotel one of the band's agents was said to [illegible] would discreetly suggest that he knew a place where an evening's entertainment could be obtained.

When the victim came to "meet quarters" he was entertained in a sumptuous manner set aside for that purpose. If necessary he was drugged or robbed at the point of a gun.

About the district Attorney's office the fifty-fifty system is said to be known as a "white slaving" scheme of her kind and complexion and bright colors are worn.


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## CUT PIANO OUTPUT TO SPEED WAR WORK

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Further measures were taken today by the War Industries Board to speed up shipbuilding and aircraft production. Priority orders were issued in favor of lumber shipments from sawmills for this work and an agreement was reached with the piano and musical instrument industries to curtail production 30 percent during April and May.

By this curtailment officials declare, vast facilities will become available for aircraft and other war work now behind schedule. Representatives of the industry have been in conference with the War Industries Board and the Fuel Administration for several days, and a voluntary agreement was reached. War work will be transferred to these factories, whose equipment and machinery can readily be adjusted to turning out airplane parts.

This move is said to be part of a general policy of the War Industries Board to restrict production of the nonessentials to speed up war preparations. Through the Fuel Administration, it is understood, the board is working out plans to curtail the output of practically all less essential industries whose machinery is adapted to war work.

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Britannia will show just how she fights. An attacking force of soldiers will fire upon her with machine guns and rifles.

The whole show will be a vivid demonstration of just what happens when a tank goes into battle on the Western front.

**BEST BEFORE THE BATTLE.**

The officers of the British and Canadian Recruiting Mission, who are staging this battle show, figure that the spectators will number at least 10,000.

Today Britannia returned from Worcester, where thirty-eight recruits were enlisted for the British and Canadian armies, and was "interviewed" in a Perkins street garage for a well-earned rest pending tomorrow's performance on the Common.

Tomorrow evening the tank will feature another recruiting rally in Scollay square. Friday noon the tank will visit Charlestown Navy Yard, will parade again Friday afternoon and will leave Boston Friday night for Providence and thence go to Buffalo.

**MESSENGER BOY ENLISTS.**

Alexander Jefferson Katz, the messenger boy who has been helping the Britannia's crew as caller, has enlisted in the British army. He starts for Winsor, N. S., in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce J. Allan will entertain sixty friends at a box party tonight at the Majestic Theatre, where the war play, "Getting Together," is being produced under the auspices of the British and Canadian Recruiting Missions and United States military and naval authorities.

Brigadier-General W. A. White, C. B., C. M. G., will arrive in Boston tomorrow to confer with the officers of the mission. He will attend tomorrow night's performance of "Getting Together."

## CALLS LAW PENSIONING STATE EMPLOYES UNJUST

Inequalities in the pensioning of employes of State institutions were pointed out today to the legislative Committee on Public Service by L. A. Foye, representing the board of retirement. He advocated a change in the law. It was shown that in the computation of pensions the State did not take into consideration the compensation received by the employes through the form of board and lodging. Other employes performing similar work but receiving higher wages because of the fact that they do not receive board and lodging are given for a well-earned rest pending the... a larger pension, he said.

# CHARGE DECEIT IN AVIATION PROGRAM

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should be taken entirely out of the hands of the signal corps and controlled completely by one executive officer.

**"PUBLIC MISLED."**

"In spite of the unanimous testimony of motor experts along this line, the government officials having the manufacture of the Liberty motor in charge have made the mistake of leading the public and the allied nations to the belief that many thousands of these motors would be completed in the Spring of 1918," said the committee.

"Information of this sort, not borne out by the facts, has been published in its constant dissemination the committee regards as misleading and detrimental to our cause. It is greatly to be regretted that the statements of government officials have misrepresented the progress of the aviation program. This has misled the public, and your committee, cognizant of the facts, has, in the performance of its duty, made this report to the Senate.

**CHANGE NECESSARY.**

"Your committee believes that production of aircraft should be controlled by one executive officer, appointed by the President and responsible to him. He should be assisted by a corps of the best aircraft engineers and designers possible to obtain, both European and American.

"The matter of production should be taken out of the hands of the signal corps entirely, and no man who has any near or remote interest in a company manufacturing airplanes or engines should be permitted to act as adviser or be in authority.

"While we are developing American aircraft and American engines we should temporarily at least procure an abundant supply of approved types of aircraft and engines of European design.

"Further, it seems to the committee that every encouragement should be given to the development of aircraft and that any action which retards progress such as trust agreements or the prevention of those developing machines for flying under proper restrictions should be removed.

**DEMAND BROAD PLAN.**

"The committee also believes it to be its duty to point out that, thus far, no broad plan looking to future development has been laid down by the authorities. Warfare in the air is still in its infancy and it is inevitable that rapid changes will take place in both engines and planes. It is essential to our success that those in charge of the American aviation development shall be constantly looking ahead and devising plans for a continued expansion of the program, as well as the development of new types of engines and planes."

General Pershing last Summer placed considerable orders for combat planes and engines with European manufacturers and the United States has furnished quantities of materials and numbers of mechanics to aid in their construction, the committee reports.

## BOSTON MAY GET SOME OF SNOW FROM WEST

Cloudy tonight and tomorrow, with probably occasional rain or snow flurries, and moderate strong northwesterly winds, was today's weather forecast. Not much change in temperature is expected. Rain is falling in the Middle West, and snow in the Ohio valley and western New England, with freezing temperatures. The coldest place in the country today was Greenville, Me., with a temperature of 16 above at 8 o'clock. Nantucket was the warmest at 38. In Boston the mercury dropped from 38 at 1 a. m. to 35 at 10 a. m.

## MAINE'S OLDEST LAWYER, GEORGE C. YEATON, DIES

South Berwick, Me., April 10.—George C. Yeaton, said to be the oldest law practitioner in the State, died at his home here today in his eighty-second year. He graduated from Bowdoin College in 1856. He went to Boston and was admitted to the Massachusetts bar and practiced there three years. He returned here and opened a law office. Mr. Yeaton refused two offers of judgeships. He was county solicitor for two years. He prosecuted Louis H. Wagner, who was found guilty of murdering two women at South Nose Island, off Kittery, on March 8, 1873.

## "QUARREL IN FRENCH," AGED WOMEN ARE FINED

With the American Army in France, April 10.—Official reports from Switzerland today show that unusual penalties are being levied by the German military tribunals in Alsace-Lorraine. In one case two elderly women were fined sixty marks each for "quarreling in French in a public street."

# RED CROSS STIRS WAR DRIVE FOR $100,000,000

The drive for a hundred-million-dollar war fund, which the Red Cross is to start on May 20, was urged at the closing session of the Red Cross convention here today.

"It ought to be an easy thing for 23,000,000 persons to raise $100,000,000 when the time comes," said Harvey Gibson, general manager of the Red Cross.

The two previous drives, that of a million for funds and the Christmas membership drive were briefly outlined, and then the plans for this new one for a hundred millions of dollars were disclosed.

"In the first drive," said Mr. Gibson, "we made the amount of money that we wanted, but it was largely contributed by big firms and individuals in large amount. The membership drive touched the individuals, but it did not make them sacrifice anything. This new one is to be a test of the spirit and energy that is behind us.

**COMBAT SPIRIT OF HATE**

"The Red Cross is the largest money raiser in the United States. It has to be, for it is doing a greater and a more important business than any other single organization."

Robert Herrick said:

"To combat the spirit of war and hate that the Germans are showing to the world, we must call up all the spirit that we have, to show them that we are organized as a nation and as individuals against them.

"We can each of us give enough to help keep some baby from starving, at least. And it wouldn't hurt to have to sacrifice a little.

Ernest Trafford and George Gaskill, who have been put in charge of managing the details of the War Fund Drive, both emphasized the need of getting together and practicley the "gentle art of raising money" for the immediate needs of carrying on the work that the Red Cross has been doing.

In connection with the necessity for keeping up the morale of the troops in the trenches Mrs. William H. Lothrop spoke on Civilian Relief, the branch of the Red Cross work of which she is the chairman.

**DANGER OF CONTRAST.**

"The danger of contrast is one of the greatest dangers of the war," she said. "Everywhere we see it. Contrast between our prosperity, and the devastation of Europe. Contrast between the lives of those who have given their flesh and blood for the cause, and of those who only give extras. Contrast between sacrifice and selfishness, or perhaps more thoughtlessness.

"It is Home Service that keeps the soldier from worrying about those he has left behind, and it is freedom from worry that makes a good soldier."

William Wally of Washington, the National director of division administration, spoke briefly on "Junior Membership," and the importance of enlisting the schools of the country in relief work. "But," he said, "it is organization, not exploitation, that must be the motive behind it. The children must be taught to help, and they must not do it blindly."

At the end of the general meeting, special conferences were held, at which questions pertaining to individual chapters were discussed.

Mrs. Lothrop led the meeting on Civilian Relief; Mrs. Richard Saltonstall that on Surgical Dressings, and Miss Maud Leadbetter that on the Junior Membership question.

## Takes Up War Work

Sagamore, April 11.—John W. Golden has severed his connection with the Keith Car and Manufacturing Co. to accept a position with the U. S. government in Washington. Mr. Golden organized the Ben Lomond Golf Club of Sagamore.

# FINANCIAL

**BOSTON STOCKS.**

Following is the range of prices for leading Boston stocks to 12 o'clock:

| | Yesterday's close. | High. | Low. | 12.00 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am. T. & T. | 100¼ | 100¼ | 100¼ | 100¼ |
| Boston El. | 58½ | 58½ | 58½ | 58½ |
| Boston & Maine | 23¼ | 23¼ | 23¼ | 23¼ |
| South Fisheries | 24¾ | 25¾ | 23¾ | 23¾ |
| Cal.-Ariz. | 67¾ | 67¾ | 67¼ | 67¼ |
| Con. Range | 44¾ | 44¾ | 44¼ | 44¼ |
| Daly-West | 13¼ | 13¼ | 13 | 13 |
| Davis Daly | 6¾ | 7 | 6¾ | 7 |
| Isle Royale | 22½ | 22½ | 22½ | 22½ |
| Kerr Lake | 5¾ | 5¾ | 5¾ | 5¾ |
| Old Dominion | 40¾ | 41 | 40¾ | 41 |
| Swift & Co. | 144¼ | 144¾ | 144 | 144¾ |
| Un. Fruit | 124 | 125¼ | 123¾ | 125¼ |
| Un. Shoe | 44¾ | 44¾ | 44¼ | 44¼ |
| U. S. Smelt. | 40¾ | 40¾ | 40 | 40¾ |

**NEW YORK STOCKS.**

Following is the range of prices for leading New York stocks to 12 o'clock:

| | Yesterday's close. | High. | Low. | 12.00 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Allis-Chalmers | 24¾ | 24¾ | 24¾ | 24¾ |
| Am. Can. | 42 | 42 | 41½ | 42 |
| Am. Car & Fdy. | 78¾ | 78¾ | 78¾ | 78¾ |
| Am. Smelting | 77¼ | 77¾ | 77¼ | 77¾ |
| Am. Sugar | 97¼ | 97¼ | 97¼ | 97¼ |
| Am. Linseed | 31¾ | 31¾ | 31¼ | 31¾ |
| Am. Woolen | 52 | 52 | 52 | 52 |
| Anaconda | 64 | 64¾ | 64¼ | 64¾ |
| Atch., T. & S. F. | 83 | 83¼ | 83 | 83¼ |
| Atl. Gulf | 110 | 112 | 110 | 110½ |
| Baldwin Loco. | 77¾ | 77¾ | 77¾ | 77¾ |
| Beth. Steel B | 77¾ | 77¾ | 77¾ | 77¾ |
| Balto. & Ohio | 102¾ | 102¾ | 102¾ | 102¾ |
| Butte & Sup. | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| Can. Pacific | 136½ | 136½ | 135¾ | 136¼ |
| Cent. Leather | 65¾ | 65¾ | 65¾ | 65¾ |
| Ches. & Ohio | 55¾ | 55¾ | 55¾ | 55¾ |
| Chic. & St. Paul | 39¼ | 39¼ | 39¼ | 39¼ |
| Chile | 15½ | 15¾ | 15¾ | 15¾ |
| China | 41¼ | 41¼ | 41¼ | 41¼ |
| Cuba Cane Sugar | 37¾ | 37¾ | 36¾ | 36¾ |
| Cuba Cane Pfd. | 93 | 93 | 93 | 93 |
| Dis. Securities | 43 | 43¾ | 42¾ | 43¾ |
| Erie | 14¾ | 14¾ | 14¾ | 14¾ |
| 1st pref. | 18¾ | 19 | 18¾ | 19 |
| Gt. Northern Ore | 27¾ | 27 | 27 | 27 |
| Inspiration | 48¾ | 49¾ | 48¾ | 49¾ |
| Kennecott | 31¾ | 31¾ | 30¾ | 31½ |
| Lack. Steel | 71¾ | 71¾ | 71¾ | 71¾ |
| Mer. Marine | 25¾ | 25¾ | 25¼ | 25¾ |
| Mer. Marine pf. | 93¼ | 93¼ | 93¼ | 93¼ |
| Mex. Petrol. | 93¾ | 93¾ | 93 | 93¼ |
| Mitchell Motor | 45¾ | 45¾ | 45¾ | 45¾ |
| Nat'l Enamel. | 61¾ | 61¾ | 61¾ | 61¾ |
| Nor. & Western | 104¾ | 104¾ | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| Ohio Gas. | 37¾ | 37¾ | 36¾ | 37 |
| Penn. Ry. | 44¼ | 44 | 43¾ | 44 |
| Pitts. & W. Va. | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| Ry. Steel Spring | 52¾ | 52¾ | 52¾ | 52¾ |
| Stat. Cons. | 24¼ | 24¼ | 24¼ | 24¼ |
| Tenn. C. | 30¾ | 30 | 30 | 30¾ |
| Rep. I. & Steel | 79 | 78¾ | 78¾ | 78¾ |
| Sinclair Oil | 27½ | 27¾ | 26¾ | 27 |
| So. Pacific | 82¾ | 83¼ | 82¾ | 83¼ |
| Studebaker | 38¾ | 38¾ | 38¾ | 38¾ |
| Tenn. Copper | 17¼ | 17 | 17 | 17¼ |
| Texas Co. | 152½ | 152 | 152 | 152 |
| Tobacco Products | 53 | 52¾ | 52¾ | 53 |
| Un. Pacific | 119 | 119 | 118 | 118¾ |
| U. S. Ind. Alc. | 122½ | 122½ | 122 | 122½ |
| U. S. Steel | 90¾ | 90¾ | 90¼ | 90¾ |
| Utah Copper | 79½ | 80 | 79¾ | 79¾ |
| Westinghouse | 40¾ | 40¾ | 40¾ | 40¾ |
| Wills-Overland | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17¾ |

*Ex. dividend.

## Buys for Summer Home

Barnstable, April 19. — Professor George L. Kittredge of Cambridge has purchased of Lysander Stevens the property south of the railroad track on Pine Lane and will make the estate his Summer home.


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Brilliant, striking, gay-colored, the new Spring Ribbons are depended upon to enliven the costume in this year of sober styles.

COLORED AND BLACK VELVET RIBBONS
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Every desired weave and color in beautiful ribbons for these and other purposes. All widths and many exclusive patterns.

**Chiffon Taffeta Ribbon**—High lustre, beautiful heavy quality, for Hat Trimming, Hair Ribbons and Sashes. Pink, Blue, Old Rose, Copen, Maise, Emerald, French, Artillery, also Black and White. 7½ inches wide, a yard.....39c

**Satin Check Novelty Ribbon**—In solid colors of Pink, White and Blue; a very fine quality for Hair Bows and Sashes. 5½ inches wide, a yard.....35c

**Heavy Moire Taffeta Ribbon**—An exceptionally high grade quality, very desirable for the new Pasted Bows in twenty good colors, including all the new shades. 7½ inches wide, a yard.....69c

**Fancy Ribbons for Bags**—A wonderful collection of striking designs in both light and dark colorings for Bags and all kinds of fancy work. 6 to 7 inches wide, a yard.....39c

**High Grade Novelty Ribbons**—Made especially for large Knitting Bags. There are six different color combinations of remarkable brilliancy and the width is unusual. 14 inches, a yard.....79c

**Sample Pieces**—In plain and fancy ribbons of uncommonly good quality, in a large assortment of designs and colors. 5 to 5½ inches wide, a yard.....19c

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*High Grade Ribbons at Low Prices*

10 yard piece, ¾ inch width.....39c
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10 yard piece, 11½ inch width.....1.85

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A number of highly artistic designs ranging from 79c to 5.00 a yard.

BOWS FOR HATS

Pasted and Stitched Bows made in the Department at a Nominal Charge.

**Special Lot of Fancy Ribbons**—Light and dark colorings, splendid quality for bags, fancy work and trimmings, 8 to 9 inches wide. Specially priced at, yard.....48c

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Notes Around the Store

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Whether it's War Garden or Golf we are ready to meet equipment needs.

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This is decidedly a "suit year" for women, partly because it was about time for suits to "come back" and partly because the new models are so fetching.

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It's an important family event when the son of the house puts on his first long trousers. We specialize in these First Long Trousered Suits—styles that meet the young man's own ideas.

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The embargo on soldier parcels for France needn't deter you from sending gifts to the boys. Choose a gift package in our Military Section and we will cable the order through Harrod's, the great London store.

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Many women feel a bit fatigued shopping these warm Spring afternoons. Remember there are comfortable chairs, writing materials, etc., in our Women's Waiting Room, 4th floor, Main Building.

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Save food for our Soldiers and our allies. You cannot expect men to fight for you when they are hungry.

The story of the Third Liberty Loan is pictured in our Liberty Bond windows. Read it—and Buy your Bond at our Liberty Bond Tank Booth, Street Floor, Main Store.

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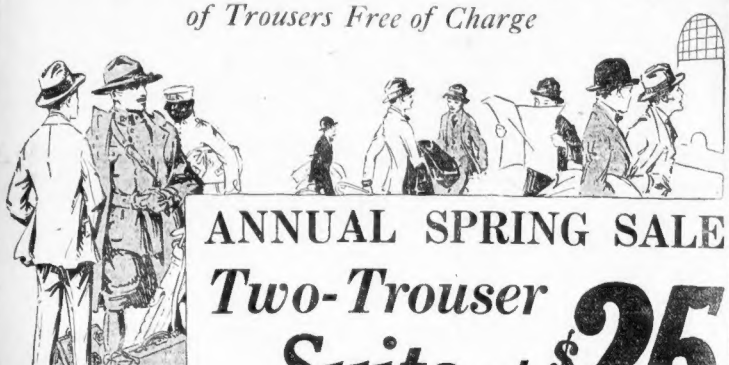

ANNUAL SPRING SALE

*Two-Trouser Suits at* $25.

Begins Thursday Morning

THIS MEANS THAT YOU MAY ACQUIRE AN UNUSUAL VALUE IN A ONE-TROUSER SUIT — AND THEN GET A SECOND PAIR OF TROUSERS FOR NOTHING.

*More than six months ago we laid plans which now make possible this offering. Today we would find it difficult to get the same woolens with the same tailoring and sell the suits at this price with only ONE pair of trousers.*

425 Two-Trouser Suits in wide variety of fabrics, at . . . . . $25

*Blue Serge, Plain Gray in Dark Oxford, and Cambridge Gray, Real Business Suits in Cassimeres, Tweed Effects, Dark Worsteds, Stripes, Linings of Good Mohair, Some Quarter Lined*

REGULAR TALL, SHORT and STOUT MEN PROVIDED FOR—Sizes 33 to 48.

***Absolute R. H. White Warranty Goes With Every One of These Two-Trouser Suits at $25***

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**Remember—Selling Begins Bright and Early Thursday**

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Arch Support or Cushion Sole Shoes.


**Death Notice**

CARTER—At East Weymouth, on Tuesday, April 9, Milton A. Carter, aged 64 yrs. Funeral Friday, April 12, at 2.30 p. m. from his late residence, No. 1014 Commercial st.

# WOMEN! MOTHERS! DAUGHTERS!

You who are easily pale, haggard and worn; nervous or irritable, who are subject to fits of melancholy or the "blues" get your blood examined for iron deficiency. Nuxated Iron in three to five days will increase your strength and endurance two weeks' time in many cases.—F. King, M.D.

Nuxated Iron, Pyramid iron compound, as obtained from any druggist or druggist on request. Pyramid Drug Co., Jackson, Mich. Five-grain tablets. Take three times per day after meals.


# VIRGINIA QUAKE JARS NATION'S CAPITAL

## Washington Has Visions of a German Plot When Tremors Were First Felt

By International News Service.

Washington, April 10.—Washington today had something besides the war to talk about. The unusual phenomenon of an earthquake which visited this section of the country last night was still the chief topic of conversation and the possibility of a recurrence of the tremors found many still agitated. It was the first earthquake to be felt here since the Charleston disaster in 1886 and the tremors shook not only Washington, but all of Northern Virginia.

So severe was the quake at first there was a general impression that the shock had been caused by a German bomb plot. Dishes were jolted from pantry shelves and people rushed in alarm to the streets.

Scientists at Georgetown University today were still trying to determine the centre of the quake. It was said that in local disturbances the preliminary shock is rarely recorded on the seismograph and that for this reason it was practically impossible to determine just where last night's shock had its origin.

It was agreed, however, that the centre was within 200 miles of the university city. The intensity displaced the needle on the Georgetown seismograph five millimeters. This is regarded as only a slight quake in localities where disturbances are frequent but unusual for this part of the country.

## GILCHRIST EMPLOYES' ANNUAL DANCE TONIGHT

The seventh annual dance of the Gilchrist Employes' Co-operative Association will take place tonight in Convention Hall. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of employes. The committee in charge has made elaborate preparations and a delightful evening is assured guests and members.

# HAPPENINGS IN SOCIETY

## Concert to Aid Families of French Musicians on the Firing Line at Home of Mrs. H. F. Bigelow

PHOTO BY CLARK

*Miss Priscilla Bigelow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lane Bigelow, whose engagement to George Lawrence Peters has just been announced.*

By KATHERINE ALDEN.

Mrs. Henry Forbes Bigelow will open her house at No. 142 Chestnut street this evening for a concert in aid of the families of French musicians at the front, under the auspices of the Harvard music department of the Boston branch of the American Friends of French Musicians. The artists are to be Jacques Thibaud, Mlle. Renee Longy, Georges Longy and Louis Hailly. Lieutenant Andre Moritz will speak. Among a long list of patronesses are Mrs. Roger Wolcott, Mrs. Henry Parkman, Mrs. John L. Gardner, Mrs. Joseph Bell, Mrs. W. Scott Fitz, Mrs. Samuel Mixter, Mrs. Richard C. Dixey, Mrs. J. M. Sears and Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lane Bigelow of Old Orchard road, Chestnut Hill, announce the engagement of their daughter, Priscilla Rice, to George Lawrence Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Peters of New York city. Miss Bigelow is a member of the sewing Circle of 1916-17, and of the Junior League.

Mr. Peters is a graduate of Columbia University, School of Mines, and is a member of Theta Chi. He is in the Government service and is stationed at the gas defence plant in New York, where gas masks are made.

# BLAMES SOCIETY FOR HIGH COST OF LIVING

## Has Too Much Money, Says Expert; Thinks Federal Control Is Solution

By MARIE DUNBAR.

'Twas a hard jolt for the married men, and the bachelors' club is today receiving thousands of applications.

Can you blame the average young man of today if he takes refuge in bachelordom—if he cringes at the merry peal of wedding bells?

The Bureau of Labor at Washington, D. C., is responsible for this stir among the bachelors. It has instilled fear of matrimony by its statistics, which show that the cost of living has increased in the average family from $768 in 1900 to $1,401 in 1917.

The statistics further show that in the average workingman's family, food alone cost $227 in 1900 and $716 in the year 1917.

These figures merely include the essential composition of life and not the cost of recreation, sickness and incidental expenses.

The bureau then proceeded to take away the breath of even the most up-to-date statisticians by the statement that it cost as much for food alone in 1917 for one family as that same family could live on in 1900—could buy clothes, food, and everything necessary to their everyday life.

### WHAT'S THE ANSWER?

What has been the cause of this soaring in the cost of living?

The universal answer is "the war." To some extent. But listen to what Miss S. H. Stites, professor of political economy at Simmons College, says concerning the report of the Bureau of Statistics:

"The rise in prices is due to the increase in the amount of money which society now has," said Miss Stites, "and unfortunately this has not been evenly distributed. Wages are being raised, but very slowly, the wage-earners being the last to feel the influx of extra money. The remedy, of course, is a better system of distribution through revolutionary methods.

"Without revolutionizing the distribution, I think that the methods which the government is now experimenting with will solve the problem. Government control of food would greatly lessen the cost. Municipal markets in the cities would aid the consumers.

"Now, tracing the thing to the home, I would say that the experience of thousands of housewives in the United States in purchasing of food and clothes is responsible for the increase in the cost of living.

### BE A WISE BUYER.

"The wise buyer knows what she wants and insists on getting what she wants," continued Miss Stites. "She knows how to get the most for her money.

"And the same rule applies in buying clothes. So many women do not know what they want when shopping, and inferior goods are given to them."

Miss Stites takes exception to the accusation that the American people are extravagant.

"That accusation cannot apply to the working class," stated Miss Stites, "and they are the majority of the people. The wage-earners here are as frugal as ever. It is the wealthy class that is extravagant. If any Americans are."

Miss Stites, in mentioning the municipal markets as a solution to the much talked of problem, says that she feels that this must be decided by each town and city. She pointed out as example of a successful municipal market that run in Cambridge last Fall, which was said to greatly reduce the cost of food.

# WIRELESS USED BY GERMANS TO CORNER WOOL

## U. S. Officials Probing Conspiracy Hatched Abroad to Create Shortage in America

By International News Service.

Washington, April 10.—The War Trade Board, the War Industries Board and the Department of Justice are today working on conjecture that an attempt to create a wool shortage in this country shortly before we declared a state of war existed, was the result of a conspiracy hatched in Germany and carried out by paid agents in this country. Wireless messages sent by big woolen concerns of New York, records of which are in Washington, are being closely examined.

United States officials charged with maintaining the censorship of Sayville and Tuckerton wireless plants, controlled by German interests, recalled the messages sent to Germany late in the fall of 1916 and the early part of 1917. These messages gave evidence of being anything but commercial, in the light of events that subsequently took place in New York. One of them came direct from Wool was bought "Commonwealth, and was in reply to requests for highest quality wool."

Wool purchasing operations of the Deutscher Bank of Berlin, through Hugo Schmidt, Eugene Meyer and others are understood to have provided interesting material for the belief that Berlin was officially interested in a vast wool buying operation that actually created a shortage in the United States and made it necessary for many of our soldiers to wear inferior cloth uniforms.

Large deals through the Forstmann-Huffman Company, Grosethan-son, Ltd., the Botany Worsted Mills and other industries were made by agents of German financial institutions, according to the investigation recently completed in New York, a report of which is on its way to Washington. The Botany Worsted Mills are now in charge of the alien property custodian.

Julius Forstmann, the organizer of the Forstmann-Huffman Company, is alleged to have been in communication with Albert, commercial attache of the German embassy, in the Winter of 1916, and to have acknowledged in writing orders received in 1916 from the Wool Krieg-Ledarf—the wool war supply commission of Germany.


## WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After several applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.—Advertisement.

# CHILDREN HATE PILLS, CALOMEL AND CASTOR OIL

## Give Fruit Laxative when cross, bilious, feverish or constipated.

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver, bowels.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them!

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old forms of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little insides are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy. They know children love to take it, that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today makes them well tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Advertisement.

# CUTICURA

## Healed Water Blisters On Face With 2 Cakes Soap and 2 Boxes Ointment.

Also on neck. Later crust formed. Itching and burning so intense scratched and could not sleep. Developed into large sore eruptions. Face so disfigured could only see family. Lasted 5 weeks before using Cuticura.

From signed statement of Mrs. F. H. Corson, Box 12, Lochmere, N. H., July 16, 1917.

With an apparent tendency to skin troubles you should use these fragrant super-creamy emollients for all toilet purposes. They prevent as well as preserve, purify and beautify.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address post-card: "Cuticura, Dept. H, Boston." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c.

# Resinol

## surely *did* knock out that eczema

Three days ago, my arm was simply covered with red, itching eruption and I thought I was up against it for fair. But Joe had a jar of Resinol in his kit. I used a little and the itching stopped right off. In the morning most of the redness was gone and a couple more applications finished it up.

Resinol is sold by all druggists.

# CAN'T BEAT "TIZ" WHEN FEET HURT

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Get a 25-cent box of "Tis" at any drug store or department store. Get instant foot relief. Laugh at foot sufferers who complain. Because your feet are never, never going to bother or make you limp any more.—Advertisement.

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*Extraordinary Value-Giving in*

# TIES

We are going to give Boston a neckwear demonstration this week. We are going to give values such as this old city has seldom if ever seen before.

Here are hundreds of large, full-shaped four-in-hands, excellently made, in grenadines, printed warps, satins, basket weaves, Persians and countless woven patterns.

There's not a poor tie nor an old tie in the entire stock. And whatever you may have seen around town that took your fancy at $1, $1.50 or $2, the chances are you'll find the same thing here at one of these two prices.

*At Sixty-five Cents*

This price gives you your pick of the *entire* 65c line without additions or subtractions. None of the choice patterns has been promoted to the $1 class, and no 50-centers have been drafted into this division. Every conceivable color combination. Values such as even we have seldom offered at

**65c**

*At Ninety-five Cents*

Plenty of beauties in this lot that the ordinary store would mark at $1.50 at least, or perhaps $2. And they're really worth that much as merchandise is today. But we bought them to sell at 95c, so that's the price. There's nothing else in the city of Boston to compare with them at

**95c**

*Equally Good Values in*

## Shirts

*Woven Madras* soft cuff shirts in Russian cords and satin stripes. Well covered grounds or stripes wide spaced. Also Jacquard figures. The usual price today is from $2 to $2.50. We contracted for these a long time ago, so we still sell them at

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Get the very latest styles. With the Order Check

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All the old inconveniences of buying on credit have been removed by the Sallinger method, which places the $1 a week credit customer on the same high plane with the cash customers of the stores.

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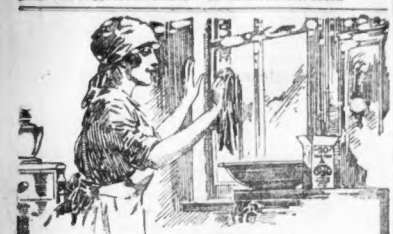
## NEW YORK WOMAN IS A SUICIDE IN MAINE

Burlington, Vt., April 10.—Mrs. Sarah Ford Briggs of New York committed suicide by cutting her throat with a razor at Alburg, Vt. Mrs. Briggs had just arrived from New York. As she stepped off the train she inflicted the fatal wound.

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WINDOWS, mirrors—any article of glass—can be cleaned quickly and without any labor by washing with a strong solution of

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The Borax softens the water, dissolves and loosens the dirt and leaves the glass clean and clear as crystal—without spots or streaks.

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Send for "Magic Crystal" booklet. It describes 100 household uses for 20 MULE TEAM BORAX.

PACIFIC COAST BORAX CO.
New York Chicago


GAIL KANE, one of the most beautiful women of the films who is soon to star in "When Man Betrays," a new Abramson picture.

(Photo by Campbell Studio, N. Y.)

## MAKING NEW PICTURE FOR FAMOUS FILM STAR

An important bit of news to the moving picture world is the announcement that another big Ivan Abramson picture is in the making, and that an internationally famous star has been engaged by the Cripple Film Corporation to create the principle role.

Gail Kane is the star engaged, and "When Man Betrays" is the title of this new production.

Miss Kane is too well known to followers of the legitimate stage, as well as to "movie" fans, to need any introduction. Regarded as one of the most lovely women of the dramatic world, her great beauty, combined with a wonderful histrionic ability, a keenness of understanding of the finer shades of character portrayal and an irresistible charm of manner, has won for her an enviable place in the hearts of her many thousand admirers all over the world.

The theme of the story is being kept a secret, but, knowing the calibre of picture put out by this author-director, a very effective dramatic punch is assured.

## "MORAL SUICIDE" FILM BIG HIT WITH PUBLIC

Possibly the best example of a picture that embraces all factors to success is "Moral Suicide," written and directed by Ivan Abramson. It is a thrilling and tense drama of domestic life, produced on a lavish and pretentious scale by the Graphic Film Corporation. The play calls for high artistic talent in the delineation of the different characters, amply afforded by a wonderful cast. The camera work is excellent, the exquisite tinting, indeed sets the cleverly managed fade-outs and the marvelous dissolving scenes being the finest ever witnessed. The story abounds in dramatic situations which follow swiftly upon each other and build up to a startling and effective denouement. And, above all, is holds a strong appeal to everybody because of its absolute truth.

The "Standing Room Only" sign invariably makes its appearance at every theatre where it is shown, and it is recognized throughout Bondom as the sensation of the season.

## HOLD FRANKLIN N. H. MAN AT DOVER, AS EMBEZZLER

Franklin, April 10.—Chief of Police Knowlton left here for Dover, N. H., today to bring back John B. Whelan, twenty-eight, arrested there for the local authorities on the charge of embezzling $2,100 from the Pabyan Woolen Mills. Whelan was employed as messenger by the Adams Express Company and was trusted with the money which was to be used in paying off the help in the mills on March 8. He lived in Quincy.

## TURF INFORMATION

### COLLYER'S SELECTIONS AT BOWIE.

1—Indian Chant, Yodeling, Kilts.
2—Comacho, Freda Johnson, Anxiety.
3—Kate Bright, Cobalt Lass, Amackassin.
4—Margery, Preston Lynn, Silk Bird.
5—Monocacy, Progressive, Napoleon.
6—Baby Sister, Fairly, Boxer.
7—Golden Bantam, Royal Interest, Dartworth.

Most probable winner—MONOCACY.

## BETTING AT EVENS ON YOKEL-GARDNER MATCH

Wrestling fans, while showing keen interest in the meeting between Mike Yokel and Finley Gardner, do not appear to have settled upon the betting favorite for tomorrow night's battle at the Grand Opera House. The match looks even up on form.

## TAD'S TID-BITS

THE DAY THEY TOOK BAT'S TITLE AWAY.

WOLGAST ALMOST OUT IN TWENTY-SECOND ROUND.

Here's a tough moment in a tough fight. This snapshot was taken at Point Richmond, California, on February 22, 1910. Ad Wolgast is just getting up from the floor after being flattened by Battling Nelson, at that time the lightweight champion.

At that moment it looked as if Bat had his man licked. Most of those present thought the same way. They were all mistaken, however, for the Milwaukee Dutchman not only got up, but STAYED UP. He stayed up for eighteen rounds more, and at that time had the Danish champion so battered that Eddie Smith, the referee, stopped the battle and made Ad Wolgast lightweight champion.

Kind of tough to take a title away from a man who is still up and fighting, but it was done.

### Fulton Gets More Than Other Contenders.

WE NOTICE THAT FRED FULTON is to get $20,000 for putting up his dukes in front of Jess Willard. Mr. Fulton is extremely lucky to get a chance to win the title and more than extremely lucky to get such a guarantee.

Jim Corbett, you'll remember, had to bet $10,000 on himself and fight for all or nothing against Sullivan.

Jack Johnson accepted $5,000 to fight Burns. Both won of course, and made the pile later. Frederick grabs off quite a pile of Jack before he wins or loses.

### Canada Cal Chirps.

"THERE GOES THAT aeronaut who was offered $100 to make a parachute drop at the county fair."

"And did he accept?"

"Yes; he fell for it."

"THAT FAMOUS PIANIST is a bundle of nerves—a regular live wire."

"A live wire? I thought he was a Pole."

As Chugger remarked when he passed the fish market and saw a sign displayed reading: "Fresh Fish"; "Serves them right. If they weren't fresh they wouldn't be caught."

No, Evelyn, an autobiography is not the story of a man's struggles with his first car.

"You're only half the 'iron man' I hoped you'd be," remarked Sweeney, as he dug up a 50-cent piece from his pocket.

### We Wish to Hear From—

A SUCCESSFUL business man who was not born in a small town, and who did not work sixteen hours a day when he was fifteen years old.

## AMATEUR BOXING GETS O. K. OF LYNN COUNCIL

Lynn's City Council has issued a permit to the Lynn T. A. S. to hold an amateur boxing tournament. The solons prescribed that only members of the Father Matthew, Sacred Heart, St. Joseph's and St. Mary's societies be permitted to attend; no admission fee be charged and no decisions be rendered. It has been nearly twenty years since Lynn has had boxing of any sort. The Lynn T. A. S. plans putting on a tournament the last week in April.

## LEWIS AND STECHER TO BE SIGNED BY CURLEY

New York, April 10.—Strangler Lewis of Louisville, Ky., the headlock specialist, will probably be matched to meet Joe Stecher, originator of the scissors-hold, in a contest to decide which grappler will have the first opportunity to meet Champion Earl Caddock. The match, if booked, will be held at Madison Square Garden by Jack Curley.

## JOHNNY WILSON BOXES CARBONE AT NEWPORT

Newport, R. I., April 10.—Johnny Wilson, Boston middleweight, and Frank Carbone of New York, clash in a twelve-round battle at the Rolfe A. C. tonight. It smacks of being the banner bout of the season. Johnny Gray of Chelsea, Mass., and Chickey Suggs of Newport meet in the semi-final at eight rounds.

### Gossip of Mittland

GEORGE ROBINSON of Cambridge has signed for a battle with Dal Hawkins at Pittsfield, April 22. Dave Powers will meet some suitable opponent in the semi-final.

ROBINSON is anxious to get a crack at Tommy Jones, and brought his manager Jim McDonald, over here to see if he will be. McDonald says he will let the Robinson boy fight, but says he will let the Robinson boy fight, but says he will let the Robinson boy fight, but

# BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

# BROWN BOY IS KING OF ROOKIES

**Expert Fullerton Lavish in His Praise of Davidson, Now of House of Mack**

By HUGH S. FULLERTON

Of all the youngsters who are to be given trials there is but one candidate who promises to show anything above the average and he belongs to Connie Mack, from which it is not hard to guess that he is a college man.

It is hard to predict that any college man will make good in the majors right off the reel, but if there has been one in recent years who justifies this prediction it is Claude Davidson, who comes up from Brown University.

When Davidson was with Brown, half a dozen big league clubs were striving to get a line tied to him, and it was reported that he would not listen to any proposition. Then he turns up in the Athletics' camp.

**He was, with the probable exception of Sammy White of Princeton, the greatest baseball player turned out by any Eastern college in the last half dozen years. Davidson is fast, hits well (he did in college), and big league scouts who watched him say he looks to be a finished player.**

VERSATILE YOUNG MAN

He is versatile, and played third base well enough to be rated as third baseman on the All Eastern college team, but it is said he excels in the outfield.

If he makes good his college promise, the Athletics will have to be given a higher rating than they do in the figures.

The Red Sox lose a lot of points in left through the loss of Duffy Lewis and the certainty that there will be changes before the left fielder finally is selected.

The National League left fielders are improving and showing better quality, while the American Leaguers are going back.

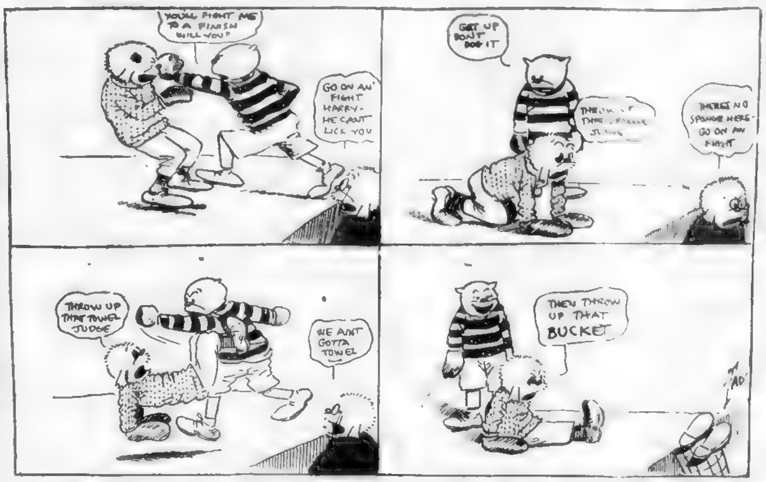
SOX TO GET WELCOME FROM ROYAL ROOTERS

GIANTS AND FOHLS CO FIVE ROUNDS TO DRAW

Exhibition Baseball Results

## SILK-HAT HARRY

By TAD




# TOMMY ROBSON MEETS TARTAR IN DOWNEY

**TONIGHT'S A. A. A. CARD.**

**Final event—Tommy Robson of Malden vs. Bryan Downey of Columbus, O., catchweights, twelve rounds.**

**Semifinal—Bill Casey of South Boston vs. Paddy Sullivan of New York, eight rounds.**

**Second preliminary—Fred Webb of Weymouth vs. Frank Toronto of Dorchester, six rounds.**

**Curtain-raiser—Mike Castle of Lawrence vs. Tommy Corbley of Gloucester.**

**Referees—Larry Conley and Maffitt Flaherty.**

**Starting time—8 p. m.**

By RINGSIDE.

DEVELOPED BY TOM JONES.

**Downey, a lightweight of quite fair renown several years back, has been brought along by Tom Jones, discoverer of Ad Wolgast and Billy Papke, not to mention Hon. Jess Willard, and, since graduating into the welterweight division, has held his own with the best of them.**

... hits out Milwaukee way, two stiff tussles; in fact, there was little, if anything to choose between them ... Sam Hall, Tom Andrews and the other experts who witnessed them.

Ed W. Smith, sporting editor of the Chicago American ...

HAS BOXED 'EM ALL.

... Joe Eagan, Young Denny and dozens of others of the highest type of boxing skill indicates that he is one of the leading welters of the world. None of these men ...

If Downey does not outgrow the class within the next year, I do not see how they can keep him out of the welterweight championship.

The rest of tonight's card appears to be up to the Triple A standard. ... Casey and Paddy Sullivan ... Webb and Frank Toronto and Mike Castle and Tommy Corbley, the young gents clashing in the two six-rounders.

# "JOHN L. AS I KNEW HIM"

JAMES J. CORBETT

BY JAMES J. CORBETT.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN

**This is the forty-fourth chapter of a series which James J. Corbett is writing on "John L. as I Knew Him." It relates many heretofore unpublished incidents in the life of the great warrior. The next installment will appear tomorrow.**

Through the years that John L. was champion, and for more than a dozen afterward he continued to imbibe freely of alcoholic liquors. He boasted frequently that he could outdrink any man in America and he won several such "championship" contests. Time and again friends tried to prevail upon him to be more temperate in his habits. But John L. always scoffed them into silence.

Many men addicted to the liquor habit resolve at one time or another to quit. Some of them do follow out their resolves by "getting on the wagon" for a short period of time.

**But on March 5, 1905, the "impossible" happened—John L. made up his mind to quit drinking, to quit right then and there and from then on until the day of his death a drop of liquor never again touched his lips.**

HOW JOHN L. REFORMED.

... each and every performance and went through with my work but I didn't know anything about it. ... Rapids.

"After we finished showing in ...

SWORE OFF FOR LIFE.

"Hall asked me to have a drink with him before 'hitting the hay' and I accepted. We ordered ...

self. Both glasses were brimming full.

"That liquor looked wonderfully good to me because I certainly was thirsty. I grabbed the glass in my hand, picked it up and was just going to down the liquor when something seemed to ... my head.

"I pushed back the glass a little bit, and looked at it ... was staring at ... sort of way.

"What's the matter ...?" asked Frank.

I looked at the glass again and then I put ... down and said to Frank:

**"'Frank, so help me God, I won't drink this, and so help me God, I'll never take a drink again.'"**

NO ONE BELIEVED STORY

Those in the theatrical troupe were surprised—even stunned. ... and gone more than twenty-four hours without a drink and that John L. had resolved to quit forever.

... strengthened at the critical moment and fought off the temptation.

A week went by—a month ... the end of his days.

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# THREE NATIONAL BOXING TITLES FOR BOSTON

**1918 A. A. U. CHAMPIONS**

108-pound class—Joe Wiles, of Chelsea.

115-pound class—James Tomasulo, of New York.

125-pound class—James Fruzzetti of Brockton.

135-pound class—Thomas O'Malley of Philadelphia, Pa.

145-pound class—James Sullivan of New York.

158-pound class—Martin Burke, of New Orleans, La.

175-pound class—John McMinimin, of Camp Devens.

Heavyweight class—Martin Burke, of New Orleans, La.

In the 108-pound class Joe Wiles of Chelsea defeated Owen McManus of Pittsburgh, the latter is the boy who defeated ...

PRATT AND LAVAN GET PAID IN SLANDER SUIT

Bowling Match for Milford

# STALLINGS SAYS BRAVES NEED HON. HERZOG

Willard Confesses to Age; Tells Why He Is Not in Army

Tufts, Idle Today, Is Ready for Contest With Navy Nine

# SOX TRIP OVER AFTER TODAY'S SKIRMISH

CAMBRIDGE FIVES HOOK UP IN GAME FOR TITLE


# Benefit of "Fans"

**Boston American Baseball Extra** | **Boston American Baseball Extra**

*Starts Next Monday When the Big League Season Opens*

This Baseball Extra will carry complete reports of sporting events hot from the diamond, the track, the ring, the course—from wherever they are played.

*Not the Next Day But the Same Day*

EXPERT AND EXTRA SERVICE—That's what the Baseball Extra will give to sport followers. It will be the ONLY paper furnishing COMPLETE SPORTING NEWS of the day for evening readers. It means that you will NOT have to wait until the NEXT MORNING for sporting news. You get it the NIGHT BEFORE.

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# Attention, Semi-Pros and Amateurs

**Greater Boston's vast array of crack amateur and semi-professional baseball teams, premier for all sections, are getting ready for the 1918 season. So is the AMERICAN.**

**The AMERICAN will gladly publish all challenges and all lineups, together with newsy personals about the future greats. Send in your defis; mail your squibs. Address all communications to the Sporting Editor BOSTON AMERICAN.**

**This Day in Our History**

THIS is the anniversary of the sailing of John Paul Jones from Brest in the Ranger in 1778. In the Summer he captured the British warship Drake and took it into Brest with one hundred prisoners. His exploits won him fame throughout Europe.

# Magazine Page

**About One's Watch**

A WATCH keeps more accurate time if kept upright. A small case for holding it in this position may be made from pasteboard. To deaden the ticking near the bed invert a tumbler over the watch. A watch should be wound at the same time every night.

# The White Morning

STIRRING NOVEL OF GERMANY IN WAR

## Gisela Discovers Von Nettelbeck Watching Her House and Talks the War Over With Him

Principal Characters.

GISELA VON NIEBUHR, [illegible]

[illegible]

No Desire to Hide

By Gertrude Atherton

CHAPTER IV.—Continued

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CHAPTER V.

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He Follows Her

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To Be Continued

# Puss in Boots Jr.

By David Cory

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So the little fellow was made Seneschal of the garage, and that

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(To Be Continued.)

# The Smartest Models in Summer Frocks

## Black and White Check the Dominant Note in One and a Coat of Cossack Lines in the Other

Here's an Odd Frock of Taffeta in Black and White Check and Plain White—The Overdrapery Turns Back to Form a Point and Is Held in Place with Loops and Buttons

A Summer Suit in Pearl Gray—The Coat Is Made on the Lines of the Cossack Blouse—Collar and Cuffs of the Same Material in White Afford Distinctive Trimming

# Economical Skirts

SOME HINTS FOR THE INGENIOUS GIRL

By Rita Stuyvesant

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# Advice to the Lovelorn

By Beatrice Fairfax

## Dances

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX: [illegible]

NATURALLY, when your escorts introduce you to their friends, [illegible]

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# The Four of Hearts

A SERIAL OF LOVE AND YOUTH

## Dora Doesn't Give Cynthia Much Encouragement About Her Engagement

By Virginia Terhune Van de Water

CHAPTER XL.

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About Gerald Stewart.

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## Krazy Kat

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HOY-HOY-HOY-I'M SO HEPPY-
DO ACCOUNT OF MY SISTA - "AAMJIE."
HAPPY, WHY?
SHE'S GOT A EDDITION IN HER FEMLY.
EIGHT CUTE LIL MACTED KITTEAS KETS.
AN ADDITION?
THAT'S A MULTIPLICATION FOOL.
ZIP
Pow
LIL' RAY - WHAT TYPE OF PLAINS FIGHTER IS HE IMITATING TO-DAY?
WHOOPEE!

## BARON BEAN

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### Life Is a Mixed Up Affair for the Baron

MUCH AS I HATE TO TELL YOU, BARON, BUT MR. GRIMES HAS BEEN FOOLING YOU EVERY DAY WITH HIS CAMOUFLAGE!
FOOLING ME, THAT INSECT FOOLING ME. IT CAN'T BE DONE.
HAVE YOU NOT NOTICED MANY STRANGERS AROUND — WHO ARE THEM STRANGERS MEN — WHO? GUESS
OFF WITH THEM CAMOUFLAGE GRIMES — I KNOW YOU.
POETIC SOUL. HE DREAMS OF STARS.
A LITTLE STRAY STAR TO LIGHT UP THE DIM CORNERS OF MY DARK YOUNG LIFE.

## ABIE THE AGENT

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### Abie Will Have No Trouble in Getting a Recommendation

WHEN WILL IT HEPPEN THAT I'LL WIN A HEND SOMETIMES? I'M FORTY TWO DOLLARS OUT ALREADY TONIGHT!
HOW ITS GOING BY ME, IS SOMETHING TERRIBLE — LAST NIGHT, I LOST FIFTY EIGHT, THE NIGHT BEFORE, FORTY — DID I KILL SOMEBODY, THAT I GOT SUCH TERRIBLE LUCK? I AINT WON IN MONTHS!
WHILE I'M IN THIS NEIGHBORHOOD I'LL JUMP UP AND ESK MEYER TO COME TO MY HOUSE TONIGHT TO PLAY A LITTLE CARDS — HE MIGHT AS WELL WIN MY MONEH AS THEM OTHER FELLERS!
I LOVE TO, ABE — WAIT, I'LL ASK MY LENA
SURE, MEYER, TELL HER ITS A LITTLE GAME IN MY HOUSE — YOU DONT HAVE TO STAY LATE!
JUST TILL ABOUT ELEVEN O'CLOCK, THAT'S ALL!
NO, MEYER — WITH PANBODY BUT ABE KABIBBLE! I HEAR THAT HE'S A PROFESSIONAL GAMBLER

## POLLY AND HER PALS

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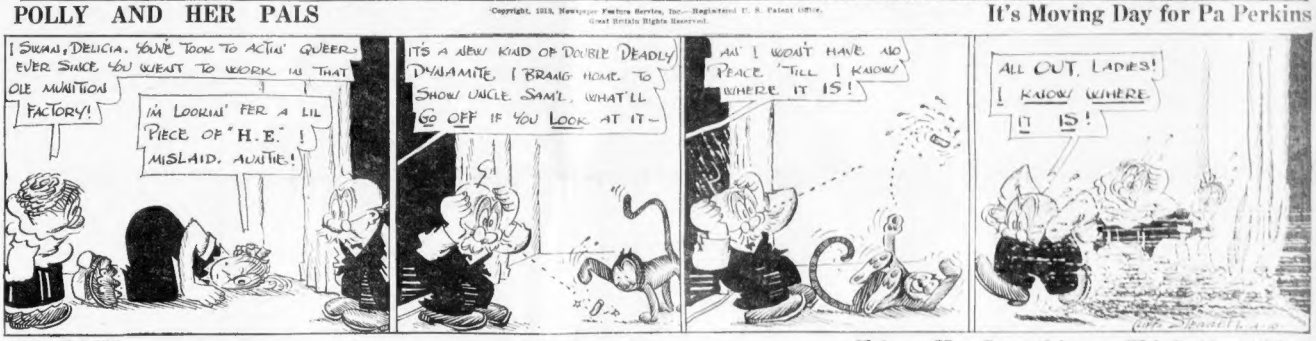
### It's Moving Day for Pa Perkins


I SWAN, DELICIA, YOU'VE TOOK TO ACTIN' QUEER EVER SINCE YOU WENT TO WORK IN THAT OLE MUNITION FACTORY!
I'M LOOKIN' FER A LIL PIECE OF "H. E." I MISLAID, AUNTIE!
IT'S A NEW KIND OF DOUBLE DEADLY DYNAMITE. I BRANG HOME TO SHOW UNCLE SAM'L, WHAT'LL GO OFF IF YOU LOOK AT IT—
AH! I WON'T HAVE NO PEACE 'TILL I KNOW WHERE IT IS!
ALL OUT, LADIES! I KNOW WHERE IT IS!

## US BOYS

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### Skinny Has Something to Think About Now

HEY SHRIMP GOT ANY SPARE TIME? I WANNA GRADER LATE CHA!
HUH?
I WANNA TELL YA HOW NICE YOU ARE GIVIN ALL THEM FREE TICKETS INTO OUR SHOW, GEE WHIZZ, YOU GAVE EVERY KID IN THE WHOLE NEIGHBORHOOD ONE.
SURE!
GEE FANKS
GOSH, EVERYBODY ALWAYS SAID YOO WAS A TIGHT WAD, AND A HARD BOILED EGG, BUT I TOLD 'EM DIFFERENT. NOW YOO PROOED HOO RIGHT I AM!
AND YOU FELL FOR THAT STUFF TOO, HUH?
YOU'RE THE BIGGEST POOR I EVER SEEN!
CAN SHRIMP BE GIVING AWAY FRONT TICKETS DO YOO THINK?

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MEL O'DRAMA, THE GINK WHO TELLS YOU OF THE DAREDEVIL THINGS HE USED TO DO ——

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SHE KNOWS, BUT SHE DON'T WANT TO SAY SO.

SEARCH ME!

### Answer to Yesterday's

WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A BAD BOY AND COFFEE GROUNDS? ONE SOAKS THE PANAN, AND THE OTHER CHOKES THE SINK.

BLOOIE !!!

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WHAT DO PEOPLE USUALLY DIE FROM?

ANSWER TO MURROW —

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### After a Robbery

WHEN THE COP SAW THIS HE INTELLIGENTLY REMARKED IT LOOKS LIKE IT'S BEEN OPENED
CHEE! UNSAFE
HOW D'YA THINK THEY CUT THAT OPEN SHERLOCK?
LOOKS LIKE THEY USED A BUTTER KNIFE OR A CAN OPENER.
THAT TEACHES ME A LESSON I'LL HAVE TO PUT "BEARES" LETTERS IN A SAFER PLACE.
WHAT DID THEY TAKE?
WHAT DID THEY TAKE? IT'S EASIER TO TELL YOU WHAT THEY LEFT.
INSURANCE MAN
"HON"
GOSH! THERE MUST HAVE BEEN TEN OF THEM, AND THEY MUST HAVE HAD A MOVIN' VAN. IT'S LUCKY I DIDN'T LEAVE MY RUBBERS IN THE SAFE, THEY'D HAVE TAKEN THEM.
THAT WOULD HAVE BEEN AWFUL!
YOU DON'T TELL ME?
I KNEW THAT SAFE WASN'T SAFE.
CALAMITY JANE
HATTIE
WHAT HE SAYS HE LOST WOULD KEEP ME IN HATS FOR THE REST OF MY LIFE.
WERE YOU ROBBED?
IT'S TOO BAD IT WASN'T A FIRE, WE COULD AT LEAST HAVE A FIRE SALE.
IT'S TOO BAD IT WASN'T A FLOOD, THEN WE COULD HAVE A BOAT SAIL.
HE SHOULD HAVE LEFT THE COMBINATION OUT FOR THE BURGLARS TO FIND, THEN HE WOULDN'T HAVE HAD TO BUY A NEW SAFE.
"COMEDIAN"
DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH I'VE GOT A SPLIT LIP.
DON'T LET A DOCTORS BILL RUN, IT NEVER GETS WINDED!
HOW SOFT IS A WET SPONGE?
OL' JOHN DON'T
THE CLERK WHO HAS TOLD THE STORY SO OFTEN HE FORGETS HALF OF IT.
IF THIS HOUND SAW A MAN STRUCK BY AN AUTO, HE'D ASK HIM IF HE WAS HIT, OR IF HE SAW A FELLOW STICK HIS HAND IN A RED HOT FIRE, HE'D ASK HIM IF HE BURNT HIMSELF! G-R-R-R!

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By FREDERICK JOHNS.

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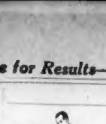

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EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE **BOSTON AMERICAN** APRIL 10, 1918. BOSTON.

# Our Farmers

**Interesting Letter From Agriculturalist, Harvard Graduate, on Troubles of New England Farmers and Red Tape at State House**

The following is an interesting letter from the pen of a young Massachusetts farmer, a Harvard graduate, who has invested thousands of dollars in an experiment in scientific farming in Massachusetts. It deals with some of the troubles of all New England farmers. He tells of the red tape at the State House and other entertaining instances which have come to his notice:

Framingham, Mass., March 31, 1918.

Boston AMERICAN, Mr. Grenville MacFarland, editor, Beacon street, Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir: In reply to a recent editorial entitled "An Army of Farmers," I should like to say a little.

You city people will get an "Army of Farmers" as soon as it pays to farm, and NO SOONER. On a friend's dairy farm of about forty head two men left yesterday morning to go to work in the city. Reason: $3.50 per day and carfare. To quote from your editorial, "Men are going into the army and into factories, millions of them.

"The price that a farmer can pay for labor is limited."

Please, oh please, you city people, carry that last thought out a little further. The price that a farmer can pay for labor is limited because the price that he receives for his product is limited. As the editorial went on to say, "It isn't a question of good will on the part of the farmer, it is a question of possibility."

The farmer gets about 35 cents of each dollar of the retail price. The other 65 cents go to the railroad or the carrier, the food storage man, to the wholesaler and jobber, and then to the retailer. To look at the thing fairly:

If an article retails for $1 and of this the farmer received but 35 cents for a year's work in producing it, and the various middlemen who handle the article for a few days or weeks before it is consumed by the public get the other 65 cents of that dollar as their share, which of the two, producer or middleman can afford best to pay a man $3.50 a day to work for them?

To quote the next line of your well-meaning, city-made editorial that is filled with truths that you don't explain: "He (the farmer) hasn't any reserve money, as a rule, and he cannot borrow." Well, he MAY and he CANNOT borrow. He MAY borrow from the United States Government Farm Loan Bank at Springfield, Mass., after cutting through several months of red tape, but it will be time to harvest the crops that never were planted before he gets his money; or, he might try to borrow from that $200,000 fund appropriated by the Massachusetts Legislature this last Winter to loan to farmers.

This friend of mine whom I mentioned before went into the State House to find out about this money to be loaned to farmers. The story of his experiences is interesting.

This friend is a hustler. To cut down on his grain bill (that will put him out of business if high prices of grain continue) he is hiring for the Summer a large farm adjacent to his own, for with only a couple of extra men and another team, using his own present equipment and "overhead," he can till these extra fields and put in forty acres of field corn, etc., raise more ensilage for his herd. But to do this successfully he figured that he needed to borrow about $2,000 for seed, team, fertilizer and other things, to carry him until the first of January. He wants a loan for shorter than "long" time and longer than "short" time. He looked up the bill as passed by the Massachusetts Legislature, making several trips to Boston from here before he could find out the first thing about it. After two weeks he dug up a copy of the bill as originally passed only to find later that it had since been redrafted. After being handed from committee to committee of the Public Safety Committee he was finally sent to Mr. X (a farmer-politician) as being the man who knew all about the bill in question. Mr. X was reached on the phone and asked about the disposition and availability of the money appropriated for the farmers. He professed to know nothing about it, and my friend had to tell him what he knew of it. Then something like this happened: "Oh, yes! I do remember now. They did give that to me to handle. I took it so as not to be called a slacker, but I've had so many committee meetings and much other work to attend to that the matter had slipped my mind. You come around next Thursday and I'll fix you up on that loan. No trouble at all. Good-by."

"Next Thursday" Mr. X was out to lunch, but my friend buttonholed him as he was putting on his coat after lunching. "Mr. H——, oh, yes! I remember, glad to meet you (sidling toward the front door), sorry not to be able to talk it over now—important committee meeting of the Chamber of Commerce. Come around again." But my friend hung on and walked with Mr. X down as far as the Parker House, finally learning that he could learn nothing further from this source.

Back to the State House he went with a personal introduction to Mr. Y—a man at the top of the Public Safety Committee—who listened attentively to the Massachusetts farmer. "H-m, just the man you want to see right here in the State House—Mr. X, he knows all there is to know about this matter," and my friend appreciating the joke, kept still, knowing that Mr. X was on his way to an important committee meeting of the Chamber of Commerce. "Too bad, he's out—(man enters from next room)—oh, Mr. Z, let me introduce Mr. R. He's come in about that loan to farmers." Mr. Y goes on about his interrupted business and my friend learns from the newcomer that the act appropriating money to loan to farmers had been so broadly worded that the money had been used in other ways to "help" the farmers, but—"Oh, yes—let's see, a thousand dollars had been given to each county for farm loans," and Mr. C of the Middlesex County Farm Bureau was called on the telephone (Mr. Z thereby passing the buck to C)—"Yes, I received that thousand—yes—but we have to use that thousand to get other thousands, use it to advertise with, to get business men interested in helping the farmers." And my friend was sent to his local bank, where he was able to borrow $200 for 60-day time (but he had done this before and it was not what he wanted).

To repeat a quotation from your editorial, "It isn't a question of good will on the part of the farmer—it is a question of possibility," as to how much he can produce—and I'll end this letter to you by agreeing with the statement in the first line of the editorial—"Of this country's many problems the food problem is the biggest," and adding my own comment that the solution of that problem seems to be "in committee"—(to be reported out—after the war).

Yours very truly,

J. D. PEARMAIN.

# Once Overs

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CONSIDER THE RIGHT MAN

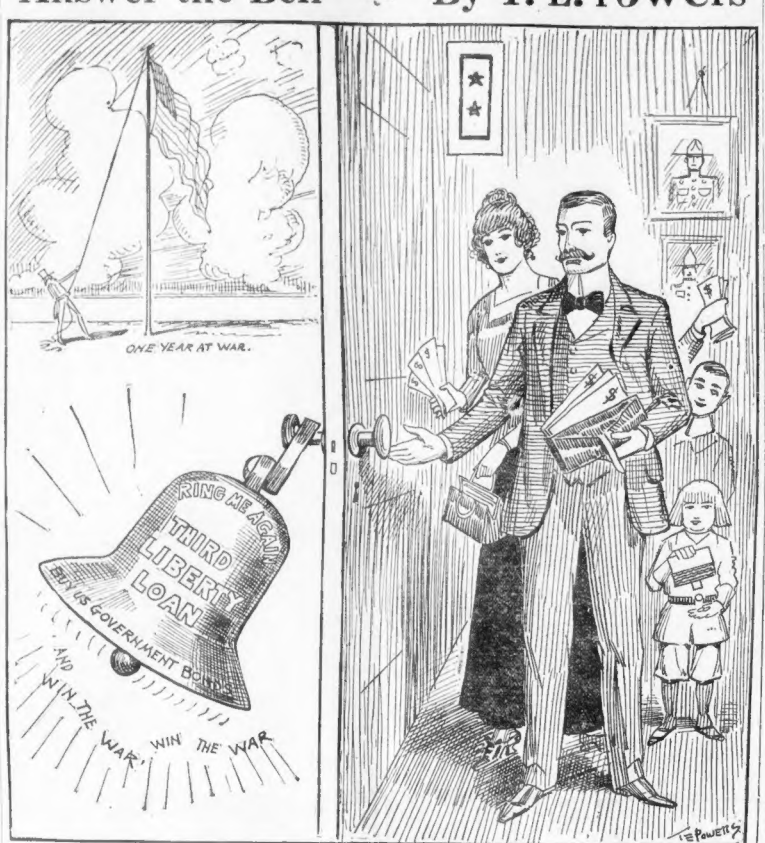
There would be fewer strikes if the men in control of big undertakings really appreciated what it means to the family of a working man.

The man who has never realized the value of a dollar, and its relation to keeping the family clothed or fed, should never be put in control of affairs which touch the lives of the backbone of the nation—the working people.

No one can sense what he has not experienced.

He may have tried to consider the other point of view, but he cannot have the vital point of knowledge born of being in the same position as the other fellow.

# Answer the Bell -:- By T. E. Powers




# ELIZABETH JORDAN'S ARTICLE

## Refinement Starts With a Good Nature and Has Grafted Upon It Culture, Elegance, Polish and Consideration of Others. Kindliness and Ambition Are Attributes of Refinement

**By Elizabeth Jordan**

Dear Miss Jordan:

What is refinement? Can one acquire it? I see many girls wearing beautiful clothes, but that air of refinement is missing.

What is it that gives a person a refined appearance. A. Z.

YOU ask an interesting question, A. Z. Many minds, far wiser than yours and mine, have considered it and have answered it in many ways. Let us see what we can make of it.

The first thing, of course, is to learn exactly what the word "refinement" means. We turn to our faithful and ever-present friend, Webster. We are pained, but not surprised, to discover that he starts out with his too frequent vagueness. Listen to him!

"*Refinement:* Act or result of refining; state of being refined; that which is refined."

At this point, A. Z., the average seeker after truth would turn from Mr. Webster with marked irritation. He might even hastily decide that he never wanted to consult Mr. Webster again.

### Hunt Answer

But you and I are not average seekers. We are intelligent and persistent. We give Mr. Webster another chance, and our reward comes swiftly; for he goes on:

"Elegance, polish, culture." Mr. Webster is doing better now, but he becomes so pleased with himself that he grows fatuous. He adds, recklessly: "Also an example of this: as, a man of refinement, or of many refinements."

Let me confide to you right now, A. Z., that Mr. Webster is still shooting to one side of his target. Apparently, he has not yet discovered that a man, and a woman, too, can lack elegance, polish and culture and still be refined.

He does not even show a dawning knowledge of this in his next definition:

"A refining or rendering subtle in thought, argument or the like; subtlety." (There are times, A. Z., when Webster is so obtuse that I am tempted to write a dictionary myself.)

But just as we are losing hope he begins to get a real grasp of his subject. He pours out his next definition with a conviction which we accept.

"A refining or *improving: A state of being*, or a thing, *so refined.*"

I have added the italics to emphasize certain important words. We have now reached a definition which might loosely be rendered thus:

"*A state of being improved, or refined.*"

Now, let us discover the exact meaning of the word *refined*, and we shall be getting somewhere. Here it is:

"Refined: Freed from impurities, alloy, etc.; purified, polished, cultured; free from vulgarity, etc."

Yes A. Z., we are getting somewhere now. We are even ready for Mr. Webster's final definition of the word *refinement:* "Purification, politeness, gentility, cultivation." But at this point even he realizes that there is still something lacking. "See delicacy," he adds, sadly.

We "see" delicacy. We wander through a labyrinth of definition before we see one that has a bearing on refinement, but at last we come to it. "Nice perception, fastidious accuracy, sensitiveness, scrupulousness, tact, discrimination; *refinement.*"

We have now about all the help that Mr. Webster can give us. Putting it together and applying it to individuals, let us see what it means.

It seems to mean first that the refined person has gone through some mental or spiritual process which clears and purifies the heart and soul, eliminating imperfections and getting rid of the alloy of human nature. In proportion as the refining process is complete or incomplete, the individual is wholly or only partly refined.

Of this refining process, A. Z., the individual may be unconscious. Also there are those who come into the world with a refinement of physical and spiritual make-up, due to generations who have gone before them. But all this is general. We will get down to a careful consideration of individual refinement and what it really means.

From what we have learned this far we conclude that a refined person is a person free from vulgarities of manner or of thought; with delicacy of feeling; with perception and understanding; with breeding and with tact.

These are the first essentials of refinement. Thus far the questions of elegance or polish or culture do not enter in. Thus far the woman of refinement may be one's laundress or an English duchess. And there are instances in which the natural refinement of an individual laundress is far superior to that of an individual duchess.

To illustrate the same point, take the case of two girls, workers, perhaps. In the same office. One, who has had many "advantages," is, nevertheless, loud-voiced, aggressive and vulgar. She pushes herself in where she is not wanted. She is tactless and ill-bred.

The other, with little education and no home training, is *instinctively* quiet, modest and unassuming. She has the good breeding that springs from consideration for other human beings. She may not know the rules of etiquette, but she does know the great law of human kindness, which includes them all.

### Acquiring It

Speaking of her, her friends say: "Mary is so refined." Mary deserves the tribute. She is infinitely more refined than thousands of cultured men and women, though they have the polish and culture she has not.

Take a nature like Mary's. Graft on to it the culture, elegance, the polish. Then, indeed, A. Z., we have true refinement.

Here is the final answer to your question. There is hope even for the girl who lacks Mary's original fineness. There is hope for the vulgar girl.

She can teach herself to be quiet, to be modest, to dress in good taste, to consider others, to cultivate the simple kindliness of manner Mary has.

Any ambitious soul can refine itself. Any ambitious girl can make herself, to a degree at least, into the sort of a girl she admires and who is admired by others.

Her "refined appearance" depends on the quiet good taste of her clothes, on her personal neatness, on her simple, natural manner, on her strict avoidance of anything loud or vulgar in her character or conduct.

It may be too late for her to acquire culture, polish and elegance, though she can always study and work toward them. It is never too late for her to learn to be clean-hearted, clean-minded, modest and gentle. It is never too late for her to reject the coarse and vulgar things of life and stand for those that are fine and pure.

Every girl must make this choice. Though she does not realize it, every girl constantly reveals in her daily manner and conduct the choice she has made.

# YOUTH

BY HELEN L. FAUST

WHEN the breath of Summer fadeth and Autumn's dawn is near.
Will the memories that made it the best of all the year
Remain within my lonely breast to comfort, aid, and cheer,
Or will the breath of Summer rest on Winter's snow white bier?
O, lovely Youth, we ne'er can tell, the days we spent with thee,
The memories we love so well, are they in Eternity?
Or folded away like the scent of a rose in the petals of Life's young dream.
Is it there the hopes of Youth repose, however far off they seem?

When the time of life is ended and Death has claimed his fee,
Will Old Age and Youth be blended to soar to Eternity,
And will the rose of long ago its petals open wide,
And cast the memories of Youth below over life's ocean tide?
And the deeds of our youth to some lonely one shall add comfort and aid and cheer,
And we shall know when life's course is run
Youth is not dead and drear, but liveth forever and ever and aye;
Down through the ages of time, it passes not to dust and decay;
Yes, Youth lives in every clime.

# MODERN EVE HAS A WAY ALL HER OWN

**By Mrs. Wilson Woodrow**

"TELL me, dear Mrs. Woodrow, why must or should station in life stand between the happiness of two people? Why must two persons whose thoughts, ideas and tastes are identical be torn apart, because one was born poor and the other rich? God did not intend money and luxury to be a barrier; then why should man?"

### This Was News

When I had read this far I sat up and began to take notice. What tore these two loving hearts apart? My correspondent had started off, according to all the laws of construction governing modern fiction, with a situation to hold the reader's interest in the first paragraph. As for the question she put me, why should man regard money and luxury as a barrier, I simply murmured: "This is news to me. I have always believed that man in the mass regarded money and luxury as a goal."

She goes on: "The writer of this note (I have not yet reached my twenty-first birthday) has been reared in one of the most distasteful parts of New York, among poor but respectable people. But school and five years in the business world have polished off the rough edges to such an extent that I can truthfully say I am quite at home with refined and cultivated people. Keen observation and much thought have worked wonders, and I have now educated myself so that I feel capable of holding my own anywhere and at any time.

"I have ideas and ideals of which I am proud, and even though the environment in which I have been brought up does not generally foster such ideals, nevertheless I have lived up to them, always hoping for something better and always happy and contented.

"About a year ago I met a man who proved very congenial, and this companionship has caused a deep and noble love to grow between us. However, he is one born and reared in wealth and luxury, well educated and refined. We are ideally mated, but his people have come between us and have politely but firmly told me they would not acknowledge me, that I was a designing girl who never had had anything and wanted him solely for his money.

"But I am not going to let this disappointment wreck my life. And so I ask you to please suggest to me some way to chase the gray cloud away which are hovering over me, and bring comfort to my weary heart. Artificial enjoyment and frivolity do not appeal to me now, but rather the more worthwhile things, such as settlement or church work, and if you can help me just a little you will gain the heartfelt thanks and remembrances of A DISAPPOINTED GIRL."

I am almost willing to wager that when the haughty mother and the two scornful sisters—there are always two in the pictures—appeared on the scene, you wept and said:

"Oh, don't take him from me! I love him so. He is all I have in the world."

### Modern Way

Quite out of date. You should have received the mother with a pleasant but aloof courtesy, and when she had told you that you were a designing girl and only wanted to marry her son for his money, you should have returned fire with something like this:

"I am so glad that you have brought up this subject, for now I can frankly express my own views and explain my attitude. I hesitated some time before accepting your son, for, although he has enjoyed more advantages than have fallen to my lot, that is, in my estimation, of small moment compared to certain more important considerations.

"Still, so great is my love for your son that I am willing to overlook these facts, although I could never consent to be on terms of intimacy with you or your daughters. Good-by."

# WISDOM AND 41 ARE BOON FRIENDS TODAY

**By Winifred Black**

OH, yes, it's all very well telling what you'd do if you were twenty-one, but how about some of the other ages?

Take forty-one, for instance—what would you do if you were forty-one, and, what is quite as important, what are some of the things you would not do if you were forty-one.

If I were forty-one I shouldn't try to pretend that I was just sweet sixteen or even only twenty-five.

No one ever believes you when you do that, and it is such a waste of energy to try to make them do it.

I shouldn't carry around a signboard saying "I am forty-one," either, and I wouldn't always murmur things about "at my age."

### Forget Your Age

Who cares how old you are, or how young you are, except the doctor and the directors of a life insurance company? It only bores people to think about it, people who are of importance and intelligence, I mean.

There is, of course, a type which always wants to know, not what you are and how you live and whether you are good or bad, selfish or unselfish, fine or ignoble, but how much money you have, what was your mother's first cousin's maiden name, why your Aunt Belinda never married, how many times you've worn your prettiest party dress, what rent you pay, how many times a year you have your bedroom curtains washed, and—how old you are.

But people like this don't count. No one cares what they think, anyhow. So I'd let the age question drop—if I were forty-one.

And I wouldn't be jealous of every young, fresh, pretty girl and every blooming, joyous, young, beautiful matron, and every gay, attractive, interesting belle—if I were forty-one.

I'd remember my own youth and my own joy in it, and I'd borrow a few years and a little fun and a lot of gayety, and some faith and some trust and some belief in life from every young girl and every hopeful, happy lad I could manage to know and love and understand.

I wouldn't forget what life meant to me when I was sixteen—I'd remember, and I'd try to give Sixteen some of the good times I had myself and some more of the good times I missed.

I'd forget the sad things and the dreary things and the bitter things in my own life, and I'd keep right on remembering everything that's sweet and pleasant and kindly and encouraging, and I'd think of them for an hour a day, if I ever found myself getting bitter and cynical.

### Expect the Best

And if people didn't invite me to their parties any more, I wouldn't be cross about it and think it was because I wasn't pretty or didn't have enough jewels. I'd watch myself and find out what was the matter—not with the party and not with the people who gave it, and not with the pretty girl who was the belle of the occasion, and not with the men who flocked around us—but with myself. And when I had found that out, I'd have the key to the puzzle and wouldn't have to look for the answer another minute.

And I wouldn't expect my friends to be perfect. I'd get over that on the day I saw my first gray hair and felt like sitting down in a corner and crying about it.

But I wouldn't cry about it. I'd laugh, and I'd say:

"Welcome, Wisdom. Good-day to you, good friend Experience. Step into my heart, dear Tolerance. Bear me company the rest of the way, sweet Patience. Sing in my heart for all the long years to come, kind Memory. Here's the first leaf in my chaplet of laurel."

Then I'd pin a rose in my hair, right where it was beginning to get gray, and I'd laugh when people spoke of it, and the first thing I knew they'd be laughing with me, and all the world would turn into a sweet and reasonable and tempered place for a sweet and reasonable and tempered being to live.

And it wouldn't be a bad thing at all to be forty-one, but a sweet and beautiful and powerful and joyous thing—and that is what all life should be, and what all life is just as soon as we learn to make it so.

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